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WEINBERGER IN HEATED DISPUTE

Ordered Before Bar of House on Charge of Contempt.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Harry Weinberger of New York, counsel for Grover C. Bergdoll in court martial proceedings, was ordered before the bar of the House of Representatives today for contempt after refusing to testify before the house investigating committee regarding fees paid him by Berdoll's mother.

Weinberger challenged the right of the committee to investigate the escape of Bergdoll on the ground that he had never been inducted into the army. Chairman Peters brushed aside the contention, declaring it was entirely aside from the question at issue.

Asked how much money had been paid him by Mrs. Bergdoll, Weinberger refused to answer, contending it was not relative and was privilege matter. When the witness refused to produce his books, Representative Johnson, democrat of Kentucky, moved that he be held in contempt. There was no objection.

John H. Sherburne, counsel for the committee made formal demand for all documents held by the witness hearing on the case.

"If the house tells me to answer I'll take its decision," said Weinberger.

"The house will do more than rule," Representative Johnson answered.

Four separate charges of contempt were lodged against Weinberger before Sherburne announced that there was no possibility of going further unless the committee could get Weinberker's papers.

"Were you counsel for Emma Goldman?" asked Representative McArthur, republican of Oregon.

"I was, if you want to know," Weinberger replied. "But I don't see where that has anything to do with this inquiry."

"You have refused to answer certain questions," Chairman Peters told Weinberger and "nothing remains but to have the house decide."

"It is well for you to know that the house can imprison you," said Mr. Johnson.

"The question of imprisonment does not enter into my decision in this matter," Weinberger replied.

Weinberger was placed under arrest but was ordered to appear before the committee later in the day and not leave the city without its permission.

Grocerymen Agree to Close Stores at Set Hour Each Day

The progressive grocery stores and markets of the city have decided with the view of giving their employees a chance to get much needed recreation, to close at 7 o'clock p. m. on the regular week days and at 11 o'clock Saturdays.

Those interested in the movement have secured signatures of the merchants who are willing to do this altogether proper thing and the agreement and list of stores is as follows:

We, the undersigned grocerymen, agree to close our stores at 7 p. m. each regular week night and at 11 o'clock on Saturday nights and on the nights of the 5th and 20th, said agreement to take effect on May 18 and hold good until the first of September.

Purity Grocery Co., P. & E. Grocery and Market, R. J. Rain, O. J. Davidson, Community Market, Leeper & Son, Stanfield Grocery and Market, Harvey Luther, A. L. Holcomb Feed and Seed store, J. W. Saddler and The Katy Market.

The Shriner Special to Okmulgee Monday Morning and Return

Bedowin Temple of Muskogee, A. A. O. N. M. S. will hold a special ceremonial at Okmulgee next Monday, May 23, to which all nobility of the state is invited.

A special train will be run from Ada to Okmulgee on the day of the ceremonial, leaving here at eight o'clock in the morning and leaving Okmulgee for the return trip at 12:30 the same night.

Members of Bedowin announce that $2,500 has been set aside to be spent specifically for the entertainment of the ladies, and as a consequence all Shriners are urged to take their wives and sweethearts on this pilgrimage.

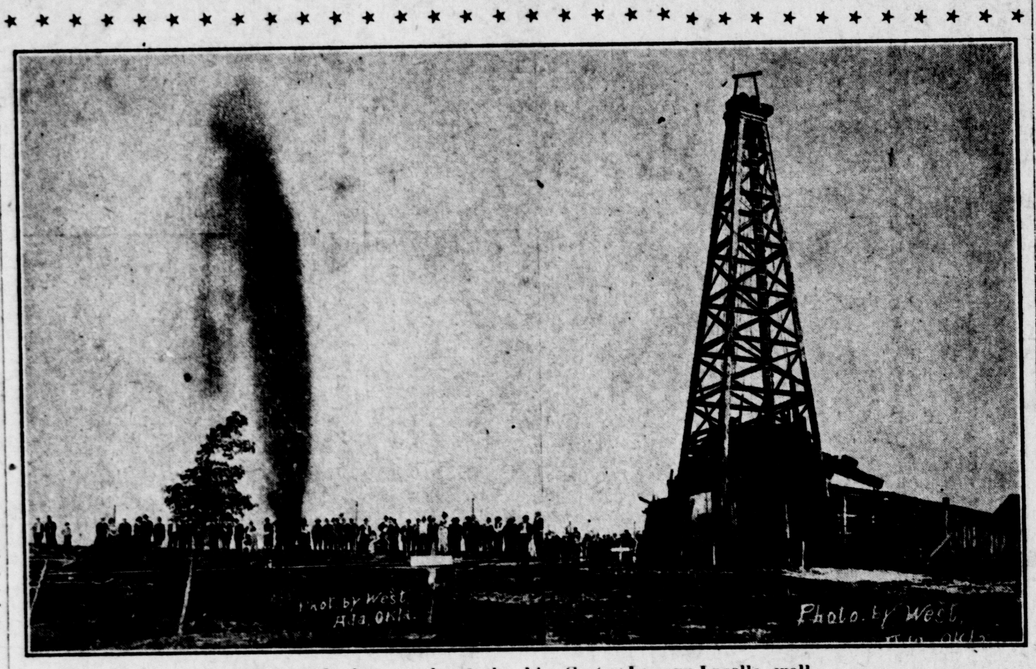
Members of the Pontotoc County Shrine Club are making elaborate preparations for the trip and a big time is expected to be had by all who avail themselves of the opportunity of attending.

Rev. and Mrs. Morris Return

Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Morris returned from Chattanooga today, and will be present at the prayer service, at the First Baptist church tonight.

Big Carter-Lowry-Laselle Well Throws Oil High Above Derrick

Hundreds Witness Big Flow of Oil in New Field Yesterday Afternoon



An actual photograph of the big Carter-Lowery-Laselle well in Section 32-5-5 while in eruption.

Yesterday afternoon about two o'clock, after several hundred people had assembled on the grounds, the big Carter-Lowry-Laselle well in Section 32-5-5 was uncapped and for more than five minutes belched a column of rich, black oil five or six feet above the crown of the big eighty foot derrick.

When the liquid gold mounted into the air in a column the size of the casing the crowd let out a yell that could be heard for miles around, while the click of photographer's cameras could be heard between shouts.

The first column of oil had no sooner melted into a spray and fallen to the earth when the big well made the second head and again the stream circled high above the topmost point of the derrick and settled on the crown point in a thick, green spray.

The behavior of the well yesterday gave the lie to the Tulsa World and other knockers who would have it appear that the new oil field of Pontotoc county is a "bloomer," and every man and woman who witnessed the scene came home with new hopes for Ada and Pontotoc county, and confirmed in the belief that at last the mother pool of an immense oil strata has been found.

For more than a month—in fact from the time the sand was first touched in this well—there has been much speculation as to what was in store for this county in the way of an oil field, but from the action of the new well yesterday, and from the way it has acted from the beginning, for that matter, there seems to be no doubt that one of the greatest oil fields in the state has been found.

Many drilling contracts have already been negotiated by the Carter-Lowry-Laselle syndicate, and within a short time the new field will be dotted with derricks in every direction from the discovery well.

Ada, already one of the most substantial business cities in the state, is now in possession of a new found hope, and the fact that real estate is already active at wonderfully enhanced prices indicates that a building boom of wonderful proportions is now in the embryonic stage.

For years the people of this city and county have dreamed and hoped for the day to come when oil would be found, as they have always believed that it would be found, and now that their dreams have come true it is easy to imagine the bouyancy of spirit that has taken possession of the people.

That Ada will start off with an unprecedented vim at an early date, and make a city of from forty to fifty thousand within the next two years at the least, is freely predicted by our friends, the oil men, and by residents here who understand and appreciate the wonderful foundation for a big city already here.

This office, as well as the Chamber of Commerce and other institutions of a public nature, are swamped with inquiries from homeseekers and investors from all points of the compass, and there are already here more people than can find dwellings in which to live and make their homes.

That a building era never before drempt of is in immediate store for this city goes without saying, and fortunate is he who has Ada real estate or property of any kind at this time. Only the future can tell to what proportions this little city will grow with the advent of the big oil men and the enormous plans of development which they have in hand.

RAILROAD LABOR WAGES GO DOWN

All Roads Apply to Labor Board for General Reductions.

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, May 18.—The general reduction of wages for unskilled railroad employes effective July 1, which was forecast by the railroad labor board in an announcement last night, will be made the basis of reduction extending to all classes of railroad labor, it was understood today.

Of the scores of railroads whose applications for wage cuts are pending before the board only the Chicago Great Western, Chicago and Alton and a few others asked that the reduction be extended to all classes of employes.

Provision was made by the board for the filing of other appeals up to June 6, and these will be decided, the announcement said, to take effect also on July 1st. It was believed others of the class A roads will amend their applications to include shop, train service and other classes of employes.

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, May 18.—The June 1 decision, it was announced, would cover application filed prior to April 18, and those filed since will be decided June 6, all to take effect July 1.

Nearly one-half of the 180 class A roads in the country filed their disputes in time to have them docketed before April 18, but only a few requested that the wage decreases apply to all classes.

Last July the board increased wages of unskilled labor and others 20 percent, making it retractive to May 1, 1920. The decision last July affected approximately twenty million men and granted increases totaling nearly six hundred million dollars.

GEORGE DEFINES SILICIAN STATUS

(By the Associated Press)

LONDON, May 18.—Premier Lloyd George issued a statemet this morning reiterating the British attitude toward the Upper Silician question expressed by him in his recent speech in the House of Commons and disclaiming responsibility for the distorted report in the French newspapers.

In the course of the statement, Mr. Lloyd George said:

"The fate of Silicia must be decided by the Supreme Council and not by Korfanty.

"Children of the treaty cannot be allowed to break crockery in Europe with impunity. Somebody must place a restraining hand on them; otherwise there will be continued trouble.

"Great Britain cannot stand by whilst the treaty her representatives signed less than two years ago is being trampled upon."

Drummond Drug Store Opening Proved One of Unusual Interest

The formal opening of the new Drummond Drug store Monday afternoon proved to be one of the most pleasing affairs of the season. The opening was timed from four o'clock until 10:30 afternoon and evening and a large and appreciative crowd was present at all times during the reception.

Refreshments consisting of delightful home made punch, brick ice cream and fountain drinks of all kinds were served to all visitors.

Favors of lovely Cape Jasemine blossoms were presented and appropriate music by the Smathers-Schrieber Orchestra proved one of the greatest attractions of the program.

Mr. Drummond, as well as the entire personnel of the entertainment committee, proved himself very affable and charmingly agreeable to all the guests and prospective patrons of the new store, making many new friends during the afternoon and evening program.

The store is located at 116 East Main, next door to the Stanfield Grocery, and the fixtures are of the very newest and latest approved design, and the extensive new stock of drugs and drug supplies assures Mr. Drummond of his share of the drug patronage of Ada and surrounding territory.

Last Minute Telegraph

Lawyer Changes Mind

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Under threat of contempt proceedings before the bar of the house, Harry Weinberger of New York, former counsel for Grover C. Bergdoll, draft evader, told a house investigating committee today he would answer all questions and produce any documents demanded.

Revises Tariff Bill

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Preparatory to introduction of the revised permanent tariff bill, representative Longworth of Ohio, republican member of the ways and means committee, introduced today a joint resolution to make effective immediately all rates carried by the bill as reported.

The temporary rates thus set up would remain effective while the tariff bill was making the journey through congress.

Chief Justice White Ill.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Physicians attending Edward Douglas White, chief justice of the United States supreme court, announced at 10 a. m. today that their patient had not rallied from the sinking spell of late yesterday and that his recovery was not expected.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—At noon today physicians attending the chief justice said there had been no change in the patient's conditions and that he might last through the day and tonight but that there was nothing upon which to base an alternation from their previous diagnosis.

State News

SHAWNEE—A local chapter of the Ozark Trails association has been perfected here for the announced purpose of extending and improving the national highway.

TULSA—More than $100,000 was realized in a campaign here for the erection of an Episcopal church. The fund was subscribed by private donation.

PONCA CITY—Permanent organization of an Oklahoma Forestry association will be brought about at the first meeting set for June 8. The meeting is to be held at Oklahoma City at the call of Prof. Christian Jensen of the Oklahoma A. & M. College.

CROP REPORTS LOOKING GOOD

Rain in Various Sections Has Improved Crop Prospects.

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 18.—Light to heavy rains which fell generally over the state within the week, ending yesterday, were beneficial to crops, especially to small grains in the central and southwestern portions of the state, according to the weekly report of crop and weather conditions, issued here today by the United States weather bureau.

"Good progress was made in planting spring crops and early planted crops made fairly good growth," the report said.

"The rain helped wheat greatly but while the crop made satisfactory progress in the middle west and northwest counties, its condition generally deteriorated elsewhere on account of rust and scant moisture.

"Corn made fairly good progress and is of good color. Planting is about finished and the crop has been cultivated.

"Very good progress was made in planting cotton and the early seed is coming up from a fair to a good stand.

"Oats generally deteriorated on account of scant moisture, rust and the ravages of green bugs. The crop is beginning to head on low straws with condition ranging from very poor to good."

Dry Forces Out of Money.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 18.—About seven hundred prohibition enforcement agents in various parts of the country have been temporarily laid off for lack of funds to pay their salaries, it was announced today at prohibition enforcement headquarters here.

OKMULGEE POLICEMAN MURDERERS CAUGHT

(By the Associated Press)

MUSKOGEE, May 18.—Calvin Shipman and wife, alleged participants in the fatal shooting of Bob Burden, Okmulgee policeman there Monday night in a robbery of Jay Harris of several thousand dollars worth of diamonds, were brought to this city and lodged in the county jail by Okmulgee officers this morning.

The Shipmans were arrested while in the act of boarding a train for Oklahoma City out of McAlester last night. Tickets found in the possession of Shipman were destined for Memphis and Oklahoman City. A telephone message from Sulphur, Oklahoma, late last night, stated that L. Massenbale, one of the alleged bandits in the Okmulgee robbery is under arrest there.

Clever Blackface Wins Approval of All at the Liberty

Roy (Slim) Cowan, better known as "The Shine from Carolina," has made a hit with local theatre goers with his clever blackface comedy the first two nights of this week at the Liberty.

There has been much favorable comment on his work in "Henhouse Inspector," Monday night and in "The Flag of My Country," last evening.

Mr. Cowan has several friends in this city who are always glad to see him return. He is now traveling with the Thomas Musical Revue.

Primary Teacher at Napier School Is Proud of Records

Mrs. Bessie Perham, the primary instructor at the Napier (colored) school, is justly proud of the records which have been made by twelve of her pupils.

The twelve pupils in question in grade 1-B spell and write in dictated sentences an average of 237 words. They are also good in phonics, reading, writing and numbers.

The stellar pupils in the colored primary room are Jack Mumford, 11 years of age and Nat Roe, 7, both in grade 1-A, who spell and use more than 600 words in dictated sentences and are proportionately good in their other work.

Mrs. Perham advises that the average grade of class 2-A is 89.

FRANKLIN K. LANE DIES THIS MORNING

Heart Attack Following Operation for Gall-Stones Is Cause.

(By the Associated Press)

ROCHESTER, Minn., May 18.—Frank K. Lane, former secretary of the interior, died at a local hospital at 6 o'clock this morning. Death was due to an attack of anginagina pectoris.

Mr. Lane was operated on here May 6 for gall stones and was said to be recovering when heart disease from which he had suffered from time to time during the last eight months developed. Hospital physicians expressed the belief that the operation would remove the heart affection but an attack early today struck him fatally.

Immediately after he had recovered from the influences of the anaesthetic Mr. Lane said: "I am surprised to be alive. I hope to be able to live a long life doing good things for everyone."

Following his resignation from the Wilson cabinet Mr. Lane sought to recover his health and came here in January of this year. He was advised to spend the winter in a warmer climate and visited in California returning early this month. His condition was favorable for an operation and continued improvement was noted until the heart attack which developed this morning.

It was often said of Franklin K. Lane that if he had been born in the United States instead of Canada, he would have been presidential timber. After serving seven years in President Wilson's cabinet as Secretary of the Interior, he resigned his $12,000-a-year post in expensive Washington early in 1920 "in justice to his family" to become vice president and legal adviser of the Mexican petroleum companies controlled by Edward L. Dohery.

Born near Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, July 15, 1864, the son of a Canadian doctor who removed to California during the boy's childhood, young Lane was educated at the University of California from which he was graduated in 1886. By reason of his scholastic achievements the honorary degree of LL. D. was conferred upon him some years later by his alma mater and by New York and Brown Universities and the University of North Carolina.

Upon leaving college he engaged in newspaper work, becoming part owner and editor of the Tacoma, Wash., Daily News. In 1889 he was admitted to the bar of California and from 1897 until 1902 served as corporation counsel of San Francisco. In the latter year he was the democratic candidate for governor of California but was not elected. He received the party vote of the state legislature in 1903 for United States senator. Appointed a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission by President Roosevelt

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Chicken Theives Are Said to be Very Active South of Ada

Three sacks containing 13 chickens were found in a brush thicket a quarter of a mile south of the Cement plant Monday and reported to the sheriff's office here. Deputy Byers Chapman went to the place and watched for several hours Monday morning, thinking that perhaps the thief, if they had been stolen, would come for them. No one came and the deputy brought the chickens to Ada with him.

News of the find spread and all of the chickens but one have been identified and taken by persons living south of the city. It is said that chicken thieves have made several raids on roosts south of the city lately and efforts of the owners to stop the practice have failed.

One of the men who lost some chickens recently said yesterday that he sleeps with a loaded shotgun within easy reach and if another raid is made on his roost he will try and place a brand on the visitor that can be seen from afar. A few more such resolutions might go a long way toward stopping the thieves.

Allen Man and Son Bound Over for Trial on Stealing Charge

Harve Johnson and two sons, Joe and Floyd, all of Allen, were before Justice H. J. Brown today charged with grand larceny for the alleged stealing of an automobile wheel, a casing and some inner tubes from the Ada Music company on May 9.

The charge was dismissed against Joe, who is a minor, but Mr. Johnson and the other son were bound over for trial in district court, after a preliminary hearing. Each made a $500 appearance bond and all returned to their home today.

Another man thought to have been implicated in the theft of the auto parts is still at large, the officers not having been successful in their attempts to locate him.

Nationals, Season Sensation, May Wither But Look Good Now



By NORMAN E. BROWN

Took a look at the battling Nationals the other day and, boy they would make an old time Washington fan rub his eyes and pinch himself.

George McBride can well be tickled with the reports that are going back to Owner Clark Griffith from the team on the road—for it has been invading the west recently.

The team, for one thing, has the hitting which it lacked for several seasons. Sam Rice, Joe Judge, Gharrity, Shanks and Harris have been slugging the ball at a .300 or better gait ever since the season started and, backed up by some high class pitching by Johnson, Zachary, Erickson and Shaw, have been giving the recognized slugging teams of the league some of their own stuff and winning out.

Bing Miller, one of McBride's new men, is proving a hard hitter and a clever outfielder. Harris, at second base, has been fielding brilliantly while hitting hard. Joe Judge is playing stellar ball at first. The veteran Shanks seems to have a new lease on life at third. O'Rourke, at short, completes an infield that is putting up a set stellar defense.

Milan and Rice are playing at their usual standard—which is sufficient.

But the big point in the Nats' work to date is the pitching. If the hurling staff holds its present form McBride will not have to depend upon his veteran one-man staff, Walt Johnson, for most of the team's victories. The big Swede Erickson, Zachary and the lanky Shaw have been in midseason form. Schacht and Acosta have added a pair of timely victories to the list.

Aside from the general improvement in the actual playing of the team in general there is the new life McBride has put in the club. It is up on its toes from the bell to the final out.

COMPASS IS UNEARTHED ON SALT PLAIN BY RIVER

(By the Associated Press)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., May 18.—A solar compass, antique in its manufacture yet carrying some of the design of the modern sun compass, has been lodged in the archives of the State Historical Society after having been buried in the Saline Salt Plain near the Cimarron river in Woodward county for more than 37 years.

It was recently unearthed in the sandhills of the plain and attached to its discovery there has been unwoven a bit of pioneer history that had its inception back in 1873 when United States surveyors and a party of citizens from southern Kansas were logging that portion of the then Indian Territory.

According to the story as told by relatives of Eddie M. Deming, one of a squad of which all but one Chinese, a cook, were killed and scalped by warring Indians, the compass was a part of the equipment used by the surveyors and lost when the party was attacked. The compass was at that time used for sun reading and sun inclinations to ascertain the longitude and latitude of that locality, according to the story.

The party, on the eve of the day which resulted in the killing, divided into two squads and each took a direction for work. Morning came and one squad failed to report. At noon a scout was dispatched on the trail taken by the missing party which resulted, late that afternoon, in the finding of three sandhills, into each of which had been placed the scalped body of Daniel Short of Lawrence, Kas.; C. A. Davis, Chillicothe, Mo., and Eddie M. Deming of Arkansas City, Kas. What became of the remainder of the party has never been learned.

The men, investigation disclosed, had been shot in the back and apparently buried under the sands. Scouting brought out dozens of Indian tracks near the scene, directly traceable to the Cheyennes, according to the story. There were several bands of Indians known to have been on the war path at this time but it was later agreed that the Indians who had attacked and wiped-out the party were an insurgent group from the Cheyenne tribe.

Today there stands a monument in a cemetery in Arkansas City to these three men, upon which is engraved their deed.



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NAVAL FLEETS TO HOLD MANEUVERS IN SUMMER

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 18.—With Atlantic and Pacific fleet air forces mobilized at bases on the two coasts an intensive program of summer and fall maneuvers is being planned by Captain William A. Moffatt, director of naval aviation. Starting with the joint army and navy bombing tests off the Atlantic coast from June 15 to July 15, designed to test the offensive value of aircraft against naval vessels, navy fliers will be put through several months of stiff exercises.

Early in July the Naval Airship ZR-2 purchased in Great Britain, will fly to this country in charge of an American crew. A great aerial demonstration will mark her arrival. Detachments of seaplanes, flying boats and dirigibles will fly far out to sea to meet the big airship and escort her to a point on the Atlantic coast just north of Boston.

The ZR-2 will then skirt the coast southward passing over the principal cities to Philadelphia, then proceed to the giant navy hangar at Lakehurst, N. J., and "anchored" to a "mooring mast," the first device of this kind to be erected in this country.

Experts from Great Britain will superintend erection of the mast which will be a steel structure about 150 feet high with a swiveled bridle at the top to which the nose of the dirigible will be moored permitting the ship to swing always nose to wind. The structure will cost about $50,000 and probably be fitted with an elevator to carry the crew of the dirigible to and from the ground.

After being thoroughly overhauled, the ZR-2 will undertake a cross country cruise to show the ship to the people. Present plans call for a trip to Chicago and return, at least by way of the southern border of the Great Lakes, and if cities west of Chicago provide mooring facilities the cruise may be extended indefinitely. The ship can make a round trip to Chicago without refueling.

Basing on Lakehurst, the ZR-2 is to operate along the coast later and participate in an air fleet mobilization and extensive maneuvers and tactical drills, during the fall.

On the Pacific coast similar maneuvers will be conducted in connection with the Pacific fleet. It is possible a squadron of naval aircraft may attempt a trip "around the rim" of the country from a point in Washington state to Maine, during the year, the longest airplane cruise ever attempted.

Plans for a flight from San Diego, Cal., to this city have been abandoned as Captain H. C. Mustin, commanding the Pacific fleet air force, who would have led the expedition cannot be spared from summer exercises of the Pacific air forces.

When some men cast their bread upon the watrs it comes back buttered.

Records show there were mortgages 4,000 years ago. And they haven't been paid off yet.

Want to buy a nome? Turn to the want ads.

MINISTER TELLS ABOUT TROUBLES

Rev. W. C. Richardson, of 234 Riverside Avenue, Covington, Va., a well-known Methodist minister, is now an ardent champion of the merits of Tanlac. Rev. Mr. Richardson has been active in church and Sunday school work all his life, and is a member of the Baltimore Conference. His statement follows:

"I took Tanlac a year ago," said Mr. Richardson, "and it restored my health so well that I have felt just fine ever since. I also gained twenty pounds in weight and a medicine that will do such things for suffering, run-down people certainly deserves the highest praise.

"For ten years my digestion was so bad that nearly everything I ate turned against me. I would bloat up something awful and have pains in my stomach that were almost unbearable. At night I was in so much pain and suffering I hardly knew what sleep was. I fell off in weight and my nerves gave way and I was simply on the verge of a collapse.

"I had heard a lot about Tanlac and asked a friend of mine who is a druggist what he thought of it. He recommended it in the highest terms, and right then I started taking it and before I finished my first bottle I could tell I had the right thing. Well, I took four bottles and they restored my health completely and to this good day I have felt well in every respect. Tanlac certainly is a great medicine and I can't help but think of other people who may be suffering like I was, and I take pleasure in giving this statement for what it may be worth to them."

Byrds Mill Man Is Fined in the Federal Court at McAlester

O. S. Stewart of Byrds Mill yesterday pleaded guilty in federal court at McAlester to a charge of unlawful possession of 284 bottles of Jamaica ginger and was fined $500. Stewart was arrested in this city three month ago, with a barrel of "jake" in his auto truck. The car was attached by the officer making the arrest, but in lieu of confiscating the truck the judge assessed a fine of $250 and let the owner retain it.

Several other Pontotoc county cases are on the federal docket for trial at this term of the federal court, including a few Ada men.

Turn to the want ad page.

BEAUTIFUL BUILDING SITE

Corner Lot, 90x119, on Stockton avenue facing the Whitaker home on the South and Stockton avenue on the east, priced to sell.

J. Blaine Gilbreath

EMMA BERGDOLL GIVEN SENTENCE

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 17.—Emma Bergdoll was today sentenced in the federal district court to one year and one day in the Atlanta penitentiary, for conspiracy to aid her sons, Grover C. Bergdoll and Erwin R. Bergdoll, to desert the Uniten States army and was fined a total of seven thousand dollars. Judge Dickinson, in imposing the sentence, announced the prison sentence would be remitted if the fine is paid within the present term of court, ending the second Monday in June.

Broke His Vow

"After trying all remedies and doctors for stomach trouble for eight long years I decided I couldn't be helped and swore I would never take another dose of any kind of medicine, but when I saw what Mayr's Wonderful Remedy did for a friend, who also suffered from bloating as I did, I concluded to try it myself. It helped me at once." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. adv.

WEAK; RUN-DOWN

Carolina Lady Get So She Could Just Drag.—"Cardui Built Me Up," She Declares.

Kernersville, N. C.—In an interesting statement regarding Cardui, the Woman's Tonic, Mrs. Wesley Mabe, of near here, recently said: "I have known Cardui for years, but never knew its worth until a year or so ago. I was in a weakened, run-down condition. I became draggy—didn't eat or sleep to do any good; couldn't do anything without a great effort. I tried different remedies and medicines, yet I continued to drag.

"I decided to give Cardui a trial, and found it was just what I really needed. It made me feel much stronger soon after I began to use it. I began to eat more, and the nervous, weak feeling began to leave. Soon I was sleeping good.

"Cardui built me up as no other tonic ever did.

"I used Cardui with one daughter who was puny, felt bad and tired out all the time. It brought her right out, and soon she was as well as a girl could be. We think there is nothing like Cardui."

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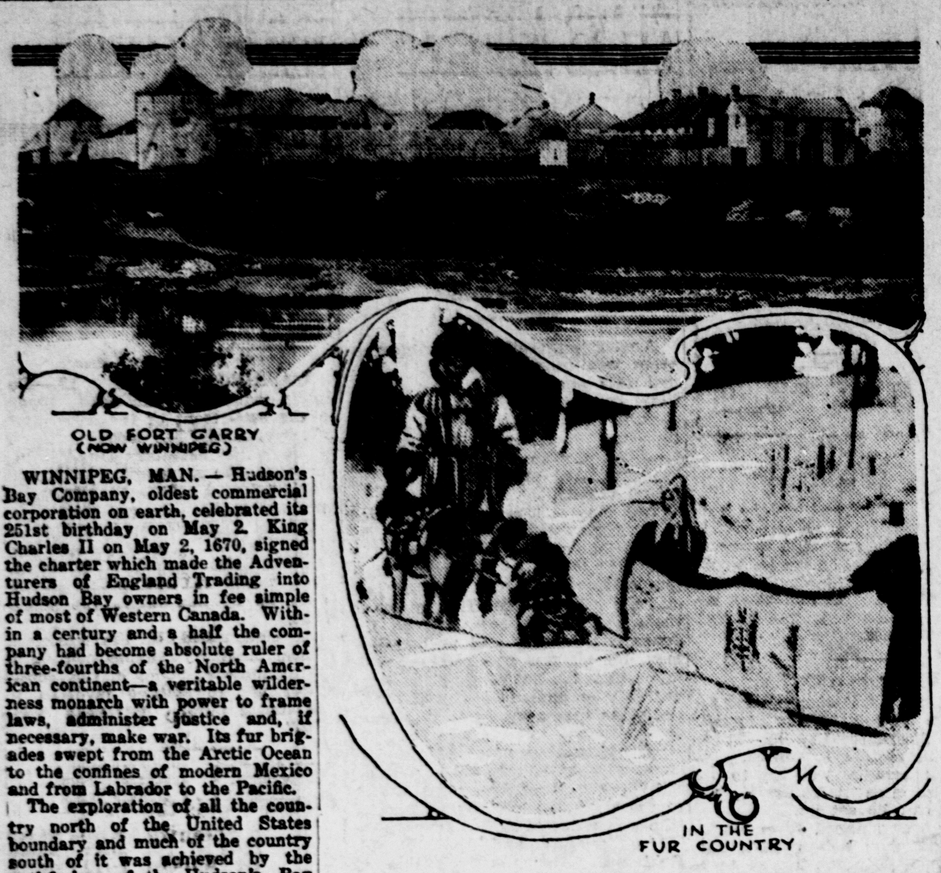
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FUR COMPANY ROUNDS OUT 251 YEARS OF ROMANTIC HISTORY



OLD FORT GARRY (NOW WINNIPEG)

IN THE FUR COUNTRY

WINNIPEG, MAN. — Hudson's Bay Company, oldest commercial corporation on earth, celebrated its 251st birthday on May 2. King Charles II on May 2, 1670, signed the charter which made the Adventurers of England Trading into Hudson Bay owners in fee simple of most of Western Canada. Within a century and a half the company had become absolute ruler of three-fourths of the North American continent—a veritable wilderness monarch with power to frame laws, administer justice and, if necessary, make war. Its fur brigades swept from the Arctic Ocean to the confines of modern Mexico and from Labrador to the Pacific.

The exploration of all the country north of the United States boundary and much of the country south of it was achieved by the pathfinders of the Hudson's Bay Company and those of its great rival, the North West Company, with which it was amalgamated in 1821. At the height of its power, the area of its private empire was greater than that of all Europe.

For 200 years the history of Western Canada was the history of the Hudson's Bay Company. The company was Western Canada. It was not until 1870 that it laid down its sceptre and surrendered its sovereignty to the Dominion.

The coming of the settlers to the western prairies and the encroachments of civilization on its old trapping grounds confronted the company with new conditions. It is now one of the great merchants of the Dominion with a chain of department stores in ten cities across Western Canada. It is selling out to farm settlers all the lands remaining to it in the three prairie provinces of its old empire. These lands are among the most desirable in the West and are distributed through every township between the North Saskatchewan river and the United States boundary and the Rocky mountains and Winnipeg river. They are islands of virgin soil in the midst of the most highly developed farming regions in Western Canada.

But the company still remains true to its fur trade traditions. It has today 155 fur posts scattered throughout Canada. This is the largest number it has ever had in its two centuries and a half of history.

PRIESTS CAUGHT BY JAPANESE OFFICIALS

TOKIO, May 18.—The sudden arrest of three priests who presided over the mysterious Japanese cult known as Omotokyo, founded by an elderly woman named Deguchi, has again brought into public notice this religion which aroused interest throughout the empire because it is regarded as a strange mixture of extreme chauvinism and revolutionary radicalism.

Many extraordinary reports have recently been circulated concerning the mysterious influence of the cult. For instance, some people attributed the recent curious murder of a wealthy Osaka business man while he was traveling in a train from Tokio to that city, as an act of vengeance of Omotokyo.

Many wealthy people who became interested in the cult are alleged to have been forced to make large contributions, and it is even charged that some people who obtained intimate knowledge of the secrets of the religion mysteriously disappeared. Some who went to Ayabe, a small village in the province of Tamba, Kyoto prefrecture, where is located the headquarters of the religion, for the purpose of detecting the real nature and scope of the cult have failed to return and are entirely unaccounted for.

The charge upon which the three priests were recently arrested is unknown and the Japanese newspapers have been forbidden to publish any news concerning the arrest. A girl of 14, Naohi Deguchi, the daughter of the founder is supposed to be the presiding priestess of the temple and it is declared that other priests have explained the disappearance of their leaders by telling the Omotokyo worshippers that they have been hidden by some unseen deity in accordance with divine will.

One of the attributes of the temple at Ayabe was professed to be a sacred well in the compound of the temple and this water was supposed to come from a spring of holy origin. Mining engineers from Kobe working on a concession near the temple uncovered two big water pipes which fed the well from a nearby pond. The engineers will excavate the ground of a subterranean hall below the famous golden pavilion of the temple. The story is that the founder of the cult buried a million yen worth of pure gold in the floor of the temple and that ten carpenters who were employed in the construction of the hall never returned to their homes.

HAT IS SEASON'S FAVORITE MODE



Of beige satin with ostrich tips of the same lovely shade is this fetching little restaurant hat. It is an excellent example of the way in which feathers are being used this year.

MILITARY CAMP PASSES AWAY AFTER SERVING U.S.

DES MOINES, May 18.—Camp Dodge, where thousands of soldiers were trained for their part in the world war has passed away as a military camp, but the highway which led to and from Des Moines will be marked for future generations to remember not only the camp, but Merle Hay, the first Iowan killed in the war.

Largely through the efforts of Lafayette Young, former United States senator and publisher of the Des Moines Capital, the Merle Hay road was paved, and named. On Memorial day a sixteen ton boulder inscribed "Merle Hay Road, 1917" will be dedicated with formal and appropriate ceremonies.

Before the war the highway now named after Merle Hay was just an ordinary Iowa country road, at times in rather poor condition. After Camp Dodge was located near the city Mr. Young with a few others became active in having it paved. It was hard surfaced with brick and so arranged that day and night traffic was permitted at a speed of 50 miles an hour, the year round between the camp and the city.

The paved part of the highway is about 4 1-2 miles in length. The marker will stand about equal distances from each end of the paved section, on the highest spot, from which the state capitol and Camp Dodge both are visible.

November 3, 1917 Merle Hay was killed in a raid near Bethelmont, France. He was one of three Americans killed at the time. At the suggestion of Mr. Young it was decided to name a highway after the young man. Before the city named a street Merle Hay the board of supervisors gave him authority to find and arrange for the placing of a suitable marker. After considerable search he found the huge boulder four and a half miles from the highway. All winter a heavy snow was awaited so it could be moved. When snow of sufficient depth did not come and remain the contract for moving it was awarded to a house over. The stone has been placed on a concrete base four feet deep in the ground.

Among the honor guests at the dedicatory exercises will be Merle Hay's mother. She has written she will attend.



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NEW FIRE TRUCK RECOMMENDED

Chamber of Commerce Advises Commissioners to Act on Proposition.

Recommendations that the city buy an additional fire truck fully equipped with the triple combination, including a 600 to 750 gallon pump, latter, hose and chemical attachment, and some suitable car for the use of the fire chief, to be equipped with large chemical tank for first aid and emergency uses, were made by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce at their special meeting last evening.

The recommendation with reference to the purchase of the new fire truck was merely repetition of one made a month ago, while that pointing out the need of a car for the chief was made for the first time by the directors.

The recommendations were made without an opposing vote, following an explanation by H. J. Clark, chief clerk of the Oklahoma Inspection bureau, of the operation of the standard grading schedule, which will be inaugurated in Ada by the bureau when the city is reclassified for insurance rating purposes within a short time.

The adding of the new equipment alone will net the property owners of Ada an annual saving of approximately $3,000 in insurance premiums, according to Mr. Clark, and at the same time will give additional protection from the hazard of fire losses.

The need of the new truck has been apparent for some time, the large truck now in use having proved too cumbersome and heavy for practical use off of the paved streets and the old truck which has been in continuous service since 1911, being undependable and practically worn out.

Because of the fact that a city ordinance limits the expenditures of the city commissioners to a stipulated amount, the impression has prevailed that it would be necessary to call an election and vote bonds before the new equipment could be bought, but it was explained at the meeting last evening that a new truck can be bought on the installment plan, the amount of the annual payments being arranged to fall under the amount to which the commissioners are limited. It was explained by Mr. Clark that several cities of Oklahoma, including Oklahoma City, have adopted the installment or lease plan and as it has proven entirely satisfactory it will likely be followed here.

W. B. Jones, city commissioner of finance, the only one of the commissioners to attend the meeting, agreed that the equipment is needed and said he was of the opinion that the other commissioners would be willing to arrange for the truck on the installment plan and also buy the new car for the fire chief.

Mr.. Clark explained that the inspection bureau would delay their inspection and classification of the city of Ada, temporarily at least, to give the citizens and the commissioners an opportunity to get the city up to the highest standard.

The standard grading schedule was originally designed by the National Board of Fire underwriters and has since been adopted as the standard for the fixing of fire insurance rates in most of the states. The plan was adopted in Oklahoma a year ago and since that time about sixty cities of the state have been classified according to its provisions. The plan will ultimately apply in 240 icties of the state, including Ada.

The application of the plan places a city in one of ten grades, depending upon the degree in which the city conforms to certain prescribed rules. The present insurance rates applicable to property in Ada are now such as would apply to a city in class eight, under the schedule. Mr. Clark announced at the meeting last evening that he was of the opinion that Ada could be rated in class seven, if the inspection were made at this time, and if the new equipment is placed in service and a few other changes made the rating would perhaps fall in class six, with corresponding reductions in the fire insurance rates.

He also said a better showing could be made on the classification if the building ordinance were changed in some respects.

Major W. L. Bentam of Kansas City attended the meeting and read a telegram which he had just received from Nelson & Son, the construction company which built the concrete reservoir for the city, saying that they were sending men to Ada today to repair the leaks in the reservoir and that in all probability the work would be completed within a week or ten days.

Coincidence Has Part in Career of Cable Head



(Photo © Underwood & Underwood)

JOHN L. MERRILL.

John L. Merrill, president of All America Cables, Inc., sailed on the Adriatic for England on May 4 to officiate at the launching of "All America," the latest achievement in cable-ship design. Mr. Merrill was, through coincidence, born in the year that "Great Eastern" won a niche in maritime and telegraphic history by successfully laying the first practical Atlantic cable. It is interesting to note that in the same year—1866—the late James A. Scrymser, who preceded Mr. Merrill in the presidency of the lines now consolidated in All America Cables, Inc., conceived the idea of linking North, South and Central America by one vast system of American controlled cables.

Although as early as 1858 a submarine telegraph was put down, it was unsuccessful, and it may be said that real cable history began in the year of Mr. Merrill's birth. As might be suspected, the long arm of coincidence in Mr. Merrill's career is rivalled by the strong arm of hard work—he began as a boy of eighteen in the old Mexican and Central and South American Telegraph Companies, and forged his way to the top of the corporation in which those companies are now merged. At the age of twenty-five, Mr. Merrill was auditor of both.

Mr. Merrill is keenly alive to the importance of an American merchant marine and American owned and operated cables in the struggle for world commercial supremacy.

THE LOW COST OF ADVERTISING SPACE

Few advertising men know that advertising space in newspapers is by far the economical way to reach the consumer. It is a fact and the only reason that advertising was ever created was because wise and shrewd business men learned that they could buy white space in publications at a minimum cost and because of the message they would put into that space they could make a profit on the transaction and make the advertising a real investment in production of sales and good will.

In these days of high cost of white paper and printing the advertiser could not print a full-page advertisement and buy the white paper at the small cost that the newspaper charges him for the complete page delivered into the home by invitation. That is to say, the readers of this newspaper buy a paper because they want to read it and because they know they get more for their money at 2 or 3 cents than anything else they could buy at that price. That is what makes the advertising so valuable to the advertiser, provided they have the right message, the right illustration and the right merchandising plan back of the advertising.

Newspaper advertising is by far the most economical method to reach the consumer.—William H. Rankin, President, William H. Rankin Advertising Agency in Newspaperdom.

The Geary telephone company is putting in 2,000 feet of new cable and is putting a conduit under the railroad tracks, and improving its exchange building.

Probably the best thing about a grocer is that he gives you so few greens for a dime you wouldn't get sick if they were poisonous.

WOMAN AVOIDS AN OPERATION

Hope Nearly Gone, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Saved Her



Star, N. C.—"My monthly spells gave me so much trouble, sometimes they would last two weeks. I was treated by two doctors without relief and they both said I would have to have an operation. I had my trouble four years and was unfit to do anything, and had given up all hope of ever getting any better. I read about your medicine in the 'Primitive Baptist' paper and decided to try it. I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Lydia E. Pinkham's Liver Pills for about seven months and now I am able to do my work. I shall never forget your medicine and you may publish this if you want to as it is true."—Mrs. J. F. HURSEY, Star, N. C.

Here is another woman who adds her testimony to the many whose letters we have already published, proving that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound often restores health to suffering women even after they have gone so far that an operation is deemed advisable. Therefore it will surely pay any woman who suffers from ailments peculiar to her sex to give this good old fashioned remedy a fair trial.

AMERICA HAS MADE PLACE UPON SEAS

LONDON, May 18.—Admiral Benson, chairman of the United States Shipping Board, writing on the future of the American merchant marine in the publication Fairplay, says: "America is upon the sea to stay. Who can doubt that she will, after witnessing the wonderful—almost unheard-of— accomplishments during the world war?

"America ahs expended $4,000,000,000 to make a place for herself upon the seas, and has made that place, and will undertake earnestly to retain it; there is sufficient commerce for all the nations to thrive upon.

"It should not be forgotten that the ruthless enemy practically wiped out a good part of the most efficient type of our overseas shipping. If America had not by its shipbuilding made upfor this lack in world shipping, ocean rates would be soaring today.

"I, for one, am optimistic as to the future of the American merchant marine. The shipping of the entire world is now in a period of depression, but I believe that within a short time we shall see a turn for the better; in fact, even now there are indications of a revival.

"We are ship independent, and we must, and will, strive to maintain that independence."

Only a hard-headed manufacturer could have evolved the plan to end the so-called buyers' strike with a sales tax on every purchase.

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Announcement

O. Abernathy has secured the agency for the Chandler Automobile in Pontotoc county, and on or about June 1st, will open in the Arcade building east of postoffice, in Ada, a modern sales room, an efficient service station and complete parts department for

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EXPOSE THE DRUG VAMPIRE

A campaign of education to check the appalling spread of narcotic drug addiction in the United States, now second of the world's dope-bound nations, is a crying need if thousands of America's youth are to be saved from terrible enslavement.

This secret vice today is authoritatively said to claim between one and two million victims in this country.

It must be hauled out into the open. Only thus can it be scotched.

Every parent, every teacher and every adolescent youngster, at least, should be acquainted with the facts and effects of narcotic habituation.

It is largely because of their ignorance that the dope bootlegger is enabled so lucratively to exploit the curiosity and bravado of youth ready to embrace the merciless vampire.

And it is this adolescent questing which, federal drug officials say, is rapidly bringing the average age of addiction down into the twenties.

"Kids toying with hell-fire for the sake of a new 'kick,'" is the way Director Nutt of the narcotic field force of Washington phrases it.

And no one—at least no organized, trained agency— to tell and warn these kids what price they'll have to pay!

Not one in a thousand who have become confirmed drug users understood in the beginning that it takes only from 10 to 30 days to fix enslavement, and that, thereafter it requires almost superhuman will and courage to break free. Few indeed, ever are permanently salvaged.

The first educational step needed to stamp out this creeping horror is to squash the vicious falsehood, perpetuated since De Quincy's time by a certain school of writers and by imaginative perverts, that the juice of the poppy inspires pleasant dreams; that it opens mysterious doors of life closed to the normal un-drugged mind.

That lie—and it is certainly a lie, once addiction to opiates is fixed, according to medical authority—has wrecked millions of lives.

It is not sufficient for the government to attack the traffic thru court and police machinery. The pernicious drug disciple of the underworld must be countered by dissemination of the disease facts. Knowledge of these facts will prove the surest preventive.—Oklahoma News.

LEADERSHIP

"It isn't so much money that's wanted as leadership," comments the Passaic (N. J.) Daily News in regard to its civic affairs.

"Leadership would soon tear down the ancient county jail, would soon co-ordinate all the influences working for good, would soon install efficiency in office, would provide all public works and institutions vital to the public welfare."

Passaic is far from being the only town in the country where leadership is the thing that is needed. Nor is it the only town where competent leadership would "soon co-ordinate all the influences working for good." During the war there were plenty of forces willing to work for conservation, but it took the leadership of a Hoover to round them into a marvellously successful army of conservers.

Why is it that good leaders are so scarce? They always have been, of course, since the beginning of the world. But they are perhaps a little harder to find today because there is so little self-discipline. "Who would command must first learn to obey" is an axiom. "He that ruleth his spirit is better than he that taketh a city." A man must first learn the art and science of self-control, become wholly master of himself. When to this power is added the vision of public service, a leader is made.

Without these two qualifications there can be no leadership worthy the name.

RUN OVER BY HIS OWNEST OWN

Here's one that's tough but true, and it contains a warning.

Jerome Shear, of Third-St, San Diego, Cal., couldn't start his "Lizzie." So he crawls under the machine, sprawls upon his back and goes to greasing "Lizzie's" joints, spine and muscles.

Around the corner comes a woman driving a car woman-like—wobbly and aimless-like—and she runs into Jerome's "Lizzie," who promptly ups and starts, running over Jerome's thorax.

It is cheering to be able to report that Jerome is gradually recovering wind enough to tell all he thinks about that woman driver. The moral is that you never can tell what "Lizzie" will do even when she's pretending to be a dead one.

The Passing Press

Shawnee News: Does Clara Smith's settlement of her claim to a one-fourth interest in the Jake Hamon estate for $10,000 indicate that the thirty millions Jake admitted he was worth has suffered all this shrinkage. Maybe Clara sold out on a basis of the replenishment of value, the estate having a war time acquired valuation fixed upon it.

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Portland Oregonian: Man, the inquisitive, also is the unperturbed. Under the dread flanks of Vesuvius the vineyards and cottages cluster, much as they did in the year 79, when two great cities of the ancient world were sealed in ash and lava, the baker at his tasks the dancer poised to please. And we read today as in description of a holiday spectacle, that Hawaiian tourists are delighted with the most recent wrath of Kilauea, where the native goddess of fire is spouting and sputtering lava as never before in a lifetime. Dread? Not a bit of it. Merely the occasion for an unusual outing, where mortals may chatter of the mysteries of the immortal mother and return to tell of witnessing a real volcano in its majestic wrath.

MOTOR WHIRLS

To Open Gate With Auto.
Barriers extending along the ground from one of both sides of a recently patented roadway gate enable the automobiliest to open or close the gate merely by running his car over them.

--Truck Is Traveling Cigar Store.
A complete traveling cigar store has been made up on a truck by a New York cigar wholesaler. Besides proving a good advertisement for the wholsealer, his retail dealers are enabled to make their selection right from the truck, thus eliminating a great deal of bother of double record keeping and lowering the expenses of the shipping department.

Heater Trailer for Road Work.
For asphalt road repairing a two-wheeled heater that holds eight gallons of repair material and can be towed behind an automobile has been invented.

Has Choice of Traction.
Both caterpillar tread and wheel concrete mixer for street paving traction are provided with two new contractors, the two types of motive power being readily interchangeable

Prevents Squeaks in Autos.
Pads made of closely woven fabric soaked in asphaltum and dried have been patented for insertion in loose places about automobiles to provent squeaking noises.

Two Beds for Touring Auto.
In an automobile invented in California for tourists the back of the front seat folds backward to complete a three-cushion bed, while an upper berth is provided by a folding cot.

Device for Cleaning Cars.
A device comprising an air compressor with water connections is now being used satisfactorily for cleaning dirt and grease from automobiles.

Man Gets What He Wants

Ardmoreite:

We have always noticed that mankind, taken as a mass, usually gets that which is wanted the worst.

For months and months the people of this section have been wanting warm weather and praying for warm weather and hoping that the cold weather would let up.

And now that we have that for which we have longed and hoped and prayed, we are dissatisfied with it. We are displeased with the extreme warmness of the warmth that we are already seeking to modify it, with the use of electric fans and iced drinks and cold substitute for glorious lager.

In the winter time, when the thermometer flirts with the freezing mark, in this section, and plays hide and seek with the zero line in the north, man will cuss the gas companies for not furnishing more gas and the coal companies for not sending out coal with more heat in it, and no sooner does the sun shine down in brilliancy and heat than he orders ice by the ton and sets the whirring fans to revolving.

He can't be pleased. The weather is always a little too hot or a little too dry. In a word, it is like the nigger's mule and the Frisco and Rock Island railways—a little too less or a little too nuff.

Cut Out Penny Stuff

C. L. Ficklin in De Kalb County (Mo.) Herald.

Let's cut out the 6-cent stuff.
And the 7-cent stuff.
And the 1-cent tax on ice cream.
And a whole lot of other 1-cent and 3-cent and 7-cent and 9-cent and 11-cent stuff.
Or let's go to making money, we mean coining money, to represent these figures.
The thing is cumbersome. It is laborious and it is very tiresome.
A fellow who has any serious purpose in life has got something else to do besides be all the time fishing into his pockets for 4 cents or 6 cents or 19 cents or something of that kind every time he sneezes or turns around or buys a lead pencil, or rides on a street car or gets him a new writing tablet or drinks a glass of lemonade or buys a little boy an ice cream cone.
Let's cut out the penny stuff.

The real history of the world is written in national debts.



Oil Items

Notes By The Way from The Ada Field

Tulsa Banker Pleased.
C. W. Benedict, vice-president of the First National bank of Tulsa, was here yesterday visiting friends at the Security National bank. He also accompanied the oil men to the Burk farm and was present when the cap was removed and saw the oil go over the top of the derrick.

Mr. Benedict was very much surprised at the wonderful showing made by the well, as have been a number of other Tulsa men who have visited the well after reading adverse reports in some of the papers.

He left the city yesterday afternoon greatly pleased that he had had the opportunity to get some first hand information on the well and with increased faith in the Ada field. At present Mr. Benedict owns no acreage here, but it is probable that he will make an investment.

Mecca Sets 10-inch.
The Mecca Oil and Gas company yesterday set their 10-inch, at approximately 150 feet in their test on the J. R. Sears farm, in NE NE 7-2-8, two and one half miles north east of Stonewall, in Coal county.

They spudded in Thursday and are making satisfactory progress with the Star-28 rig. They expect to reach pay sand short of 1,500 feet.

Those living near Stonewall are predicting a gusher and that city has already begun to prepare for the rush which they feel certain will soon be on.

May Test Tomorrow.
Tubing is being placed in the discovery well on the Burk farm in 32-5-5 and it is thought that the work will be completed in time to begin the 24-hour test of the well on the pump tomorrow.

Everything is in readiness for the test to be started as soon as the tubing is run, and every one is anxious to see what the well will do on actual test.

Predictions vary from 150 to 500 barrels per day and all agree that if the well will make 150 barrels at the present depth in the sand drilling operations will whip up and the field will be the scene of even greater activities than men have looked for.

Lane Returns.
Harry N. Lane returned from Burkburnett, Texas, yesterday, accompanied by W. D. Utts, cashier of the Farmers State Bank of Burkburnett, R. A. Faver of Burkburnett, and Harry Carter of Matador, Texas.

The later is a brother of Roy I. Carter, one of the owners of the Carter-Lowry-Lasalle syndicate, and owns a large ranch near Matador. The other gentlemen have some holdings in the local field and will probably increase them during their stay here.

King Here.
Arthur S. King, one of the former owners of the Carter-Lowry-Laselle syndicate and still the owner of considerable acreage north west of Ada, returned from Electra, Texas, yesterday. He and some associates, are planningg on starting a test in the near future.

Rotary Derrick Up.
Bond and Akin completed yesterday the 96-foot rotary derrick for the Abernathy-Laselle Trust company, in section 8, township 4, range 5, where a well is to be started as soon as the rotary rig arrives and can be set up.

The rig was shipped from Burkburnett the day before yesterday and is expected to reach Ada in a few days. The company plans on using the rotary to the approximate depth of the Carsell sand and complete the test with a standard outfit.

The members of the company are familiar with the formation in the locality, having been interested with the syndicate which drilled the well in 16-4-5 and the discovery well on the Burk farm in 32-5-5.

Exect Shutdown.
WICHITA FALLS, May 17.—With the flood preventitive measures largely completed and the labor saving devices of the unit plan of operation installed a large part of the crew of men employed in the disputed Red River oil area now under the control of Frederick Delano, federal receiver, have been discharged according to information from T. W. Hamilton, active head of operations of the receivership area. The total production of the area is now practically the same as a year ago when the federal receiver took over operations according to Mr. Hamilton with the labor cost less than at any previous period.

According to Mr. Hamilton it is planned to operate the area at a large profit to the claimants in spite of the low quotation on Mid-Continent crude oil. Although the production department now has plans for the drilling of twelve additional wells in the bed of the river where the greater part of all new drilling is going on the local office is expecting momentary orders to cease new operations. The request of Oklahoma and federal claimants in the river bed area that new operations cease was transmitted to the supreme court Monday when the second report for the year was filed. Favorable action on the request is expected although the federal receiver in transmitting the request made no recommendations.

The Sulphur telephone company of Sulphur has just installed a new Kellogg Universal switch board at an estimated cost of $10,000. It also contemplates rebuilding and cabling its outside plant at an estimated cost of $15,000.

CLASS ADDRESS DELIVERED TODAY

Impressive Program Closes Events for 1921 Class of Normal.

A most impressive graduating program was carried out at the Normal this morning in honor of the Class of 1921, with the graduates, clothed in the regular costume of cap and gown, arranged on the stage to receive the final word of congratulation and advice from the school faculty.

The class address was delivered by Dr. Ira Hilton Jones of the A. & M. College at Stillwater and he talked at length on the many matters of interest to the students just starting out in life. His advice o them was of the best, and as Dr. Jones is a learned and well spoken man, his address was received with much interest, not only by the class but by the audience as well. It is not often that a man like Dr. Jones speaks before an Ada audience.

With the first notes of the Recessional, played by Miss Wiletta Kittell, the class began its march to the stage, lead by Dr. Linscheid, who was followed by Dr. Jones, Rev. M. A. Cassidy and Prof. R. R. Robinson. After the long line of students had been seated and the invocation had been given by Rev. Cassidy a delightful piano solo was given by Miss Edith Chapman. Dr. Linscheid took the opportunity of making the announcements appropriate at this time.

The song by the Treble Clef Club was also greatly enjoyed after which Dr. Jones began his address. Directly following the conclusion of Dr. Jones' speech, the diplomas were presented to the graduates, the preparatory students receiving theirs first. Then the students of the senior class who were recommended for diplomas at the end of the spring term were presented with their diplomas. The closing number was the presentation of the Bachelor of Arts degree to John Zimmerman, the first degree to be given to any students by the East Central Normal. Dr. Linscheid announced the dismissal after he had spoken a few words in behalf of the school towards the graduating students.

Konawa Will Return for Second Game of the Season Sunday

In the first game of the season Konawa defeated the Ada ball club by the close score of 4-2. This defeat did not set well with the Ada boys and another game has been matched with the Konawa club for Sunday, at the Fair Ground park.

The Konawa boys have given warning that they expect to bring a much better team than they had in their former game and that Ada will have to go some to beat them out.

The Ada boys have been practicing for the game and will face the visitors in the best of form.

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HUGHES WRITES NOTE TO POLAND

Says U. S. Will Not Become Involved in European Matters.

(By the Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Poland's request for American support in the settlement of the disposition of Upper Silecia has evoked a formal answer from Secretary Hughes that the American representatives abroad would take no part in the discussion concerning the Silecian question.

Poland was informed in the report, "that as far as at present may be seen," the American representatives would not so much as express an opinion as to the settlement.

In explanation of the American refusal Secretary Hughes pointed to the "traditional policy of the United States not to become involved in matters of purely European concern."

BERGDOLL PROPERTY HELD TO PAY FINE

(By the Associated Press)

PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—Judgment was entered today in the federal district court here against all the property of Mrs. Emma C. Bergdoll, who yesterday was sentenced to a year and a day imprisonment and fined seven thousand dollars on charges of conspiracy to aid her sons, Grover C. and Ervin R., to desert from the United States army. This was done to insure payment of the fine.

Mrs. Bargdoll was reported to have said after being sentenced yesterday that she would never pay the fine.

The court had announced that the prison sentence would be remitted if the fine was paid before June 13th.

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When sprays of bloom from branches spring,
And when the little bird 'mid flowers
Doth song of sweetness loudly sing;
To her with longing love I cling,
Of all the world the fairest thing,
Whose thrall I am, who bliss can bring,
And give to me life's crown.
A gracious fate to me is sent;
Methinks it is by heaven lent;
From women all, my heart is bent,
To light on Alysoun."
—From an old English love song

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Junior-Senior Banquet

The Junior-Senior banquet of the East Central Normal was given in the Elk's Club Rooms last evening when the members of each class, with their sponsors and a few invited friends enjoyed one of the best programs of this nature ever undertaken.

The guests arrived early and it was after a most enjoyable hour had been spent in enjoying the program given and the delicious banquet spread in honor of the merrymakers, before they were wont to leave.

Both classes of this school are large and the outgoing seniors and the seniors-to-be presented an inspiring picture as they were grouped around the banquet tables.

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Newton-Roberson

Miss Eva Roberson and Ray Newton, both of this city were married Friday of last week by Elder S. B. Dameron. This young couple are well known here and have many friends who wish to congratulate them on their marriage.

They were married in the presence of only a few friends, it being a quiet, simple wedding. Their future home will probably be made in this city.

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Russell Boud left today for Oklahoma City where he will appear in a recital to be given by Miss Kate Draper. Miss Draper taught voice in this city for the past two seasons and Russell is one of her students.

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Mesdames W. S. Blanchard and J. J. Hacker of Purcell were in the city today to be present at the graduation of their daughters, who received their diplomas from the Normal today.

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Miss Ruth Moore of Sulphur arrived in the city yesterday to spend a few days looking after personal matters. She was a guest at the Harris hotel last night.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Delton of Steedman were in the city yesterday afternoon for a short time shopping and looking after other matters.

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Mrs. T. J. Kennamer of Durant was in the city yesterday and today meeting old friends and transacting business.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Brown of Coalgate were in the city yesterday and today visiting and looking after other matters.

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Miss Jennie Lonbard of Oklahoma City was the mid-week guest of relatives and friends in this city Wednesday and Thursday.

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Mrs. Eva Havens, who has been visiting Mrs. T. E. Vaughn here for the past week, has returned to her home in Oklahoma City.

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Misses Dorothy Jenks and Freddie Mae Holland of Sulphur were in the city today between trains shopping.

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Ben Melborn left this morning for Shawnee where he will spend the day transacting business matters.

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Mrs Kate Richards of Springfield, Mo., was in the city a few days this week visiting her sisters.

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A picture show was given at the Methodist church last night in the interest of church work.

Final School Work Will be Complete -- at the Close of Week

Today closes the schools of the city, as the final examinations and promotions will be closed tonight. Papers will be graded, averages turned in and the students given the final announcements, as to promotions and grades, Friday. The past three days have been spent in giving examinations at the various ward and high schools.

The closing exercises of the ward school will be held at the Methodist church Thursday evening, at which time certificates of merit and promotions will be given to the 8th grade graduates. On the same evening the junior-senior banque will be held in honor of the high school graduates at the Elk's Club rooms.

Friday will see the final close of the school year. Students will be dismissed at this time for the summer and the teachers will prepare their final reports. The High school graduating exercises will take place Friday evening at the First Methodist church, at which time Dr. A. Linschied will deliver the class address. All are invited to attend these exercises.

If we dont stop that insurgency in West Virginia Mexico may withhold recognition from us.

SWEATER COAT IS ACCEPTED THING FOR DRESS WEAR



The woman who has been afraid to put money into a sweater because she thought it would not be appropriate for wear at all time: may go ahead now and buy any one of these brilliant silks she longed for, because Dame Fashion has nodded her head "yes." The soft, graceful sweater, the floppy hat, the frilly blouse and, lo, milady has achieved a sports costume with a dress-up air.

DELIVERS ADDRESS ON CHRISTIANITY AT MEET

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO—May 19.—Christianity is pre-eminently, a supernational religion, Dr. Arthur J. Brown of New York told the World Alliance Congress on Reduction of Armaments here tonight.

"We do not say international, because that suggests the plane of agreements betwen governments: but supernational in that Christianity transcends nations," he said. "There is indeed a proper nationalism, and it has many noble elements. But it is sometimes difficult to draw the line between nationalism and internationalsim—the due claims of a people to control their own interests, and the moral obligation to take into account the interests of humanity at large.

"The type of nationalism which caused the great war is thoroughly pagan. It makes each member of the family of nations a law unto itself irrespective of the rights of others. True nationalism is related to supernationalism as the family is related to the community and the community to the state. The local duty is imperative, but it is consistent with the duty to the larger relationship. Christianitp incubates that high est type of loyalty to country, which type of loyalty to country, which makes it minister to the supreme good of the race. It substitutes the law of brotherhood for the law of the jungle.

"Nations will never live in peace if the spirit which has heretofore animated them continues to prevail. We affirmed that our aim was to 'make the world safe for democracy.' But what kind of democracy? Selfish and cruel men will fight under any kind of government. We were determined to overthrow autocracy: but the alternative of autocracy is not necessarily democracy; it may be mobocracy. Look at Russia. Look at Mexico. If people remain ignorant or undisciplined or unscruplous, how is the world bettered? Many people appeared to imagine that the millenium would come when Germany was defeated. They are now learning by painful experience the profound truth: "The kingdom of God. is within you.'

"We are hearing much these days about armies and navies and governments and territorial adjustments. But what about the soul of the world—its ideals, its aspirations, its moral principles, that which differentiates the spiritual from the physical, which makes men sons of God instead of animals, and substitutes the law of love for the law of the jungle? What shall it profit if we gain the whole world of political freedom and carnal might, and lose the soul of the world?

"We said that we wanted endurisg peace. But peace is not an end of itself. It is a by-product—a by-product of righteousness and to be attained only through it.

"A treaty of peace is but another 'scrap of paper' unless it is backed by conscience? It is just as strong as the character of the nations that make it no stronger; and Christianity makes for character.

"A regenerated world! A triumphant and safe democracy! it seems a far-off and divine event in this time of world convulsion when the clearing smoke of battle makes more painfully apparent the frightful tragedy of ruined towns and devastated fields, when the tears of mothers and wives are not yet dry, when the air is strident with angry voices, and the nations are again preparing for 'the next war'. But there are hours when one seems to catch a vision of the coming glory. It is a time for clearness of vision; for catholicity of spirit; for statesmanship of planning; a time for the splendor of a mighty faith in Him of whom it is said, 'He is able;' 'able to do exceedingly abundantly above all taht we ask or think.'"

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Ladies you are invited to inspect our new stock of dresses, blouses and underwear.—Burk's Style Shop. 5-18-2td

A new sign on the Crandall garage on North Broadway reads Ada Cadillac Co.," which means that there is to be a Cadillac agency in the city.

Bon Marche makes a specialty of graduation gifts. Gifts from 35c to $35. 120 S. Broadway. 5-9-12td

The hay market on Main and Broadway is still much in evidence. Hundreds of bales of hay have been sold at this place during the past season.

"Parisian Beauty Shop"—Hair dressing, massage, manicuring, scalp treatment. Room 20 Shaw building. phone 1144. 4-26-1mo

C. W. Benedict, vice president of the First National Bank at Tulsa, was in the city yesterday, and visited the new oil well in section 32-5-5 and saw it flow.

Just arrived this morning the latest styles in dresses. Don't miss seeing them.—Burk's Style Shop. 5-18-2td

For tin work of all kinds, phone 669. Emerson Tin Shop, 405 E. Main. 5-9&10-13&14-18&19 23&24-27&28.

Porter Crooks and wife have moved to Bromide, Okla. where they will make their home in the future. Mr. Crooks is a concrete builder and will follow his trade in his new location.

Emerson is prepared to fix that leaky radiator and guarantee it.—Emerson Tin Shop, 405 E. Main, phone 669. 5-9-9&10-13&14-18 &19-23-&24-27&28.

Cotton is still being sold on the streets here. Nearly as much cotton has been sold since the first of the year as was sold up to that time in the 1920-21 season.

The chamber of commerce has just received a set of pictures of various important scenes in and around the city that will be of interest to those who are prospecting.

Have your summer frocks pleated or hemstitched. Buttons of all designs made to order. Ada Hemstitching Shop. 120 S. Broadway. 5-9-tf.

H. N. Lane and Roy I Carter, members of the Carter-Lowry-Laselle Syndicate, have returned from Wichita Falls, Texas, where they went a few days ago to ship drilling rigs into the new oil field twelve miles northwest of the city.

Ladies get you a modern turfing needle at the Oriental & Novelty store, 225 E. Main. Free demonstration all week and one beautiful hand painted picture value $10.00 given free with each needle sold, price $1.25. 5-12-6td*

The citizens of Ada forgot business yesterday afternoon and turned out en masse to welcome the Dallas visitors. Many little souvenirs have been given to the Ada people by the Dallas business men who were here yesterday.

Miss Willeta Kittell announces that she will teach piano and pipe organ at the Normal and High school during summer school. Those desiring lessons call E. C. S. N. or 498. 5-18-1td

W. D. Little, who has been in Oklahoma City for some time helping in the organization of the Oklahoa Cotton Growers Association, has finished his work there and is home for the summer. Mr. Little has not announced what business he will engage in for the present time.

There was only one bidder for the paving of south Townsend avenue yesterday when bids were received by the city commissioners. The bidder was Paskins & Stacko of Wichita Falls, Tex., and the bid was above the estimate of the engineer. Consequently the commissioners will re-advertise for bids for May 31.

FRANKLIN K. LANE DIES THIS MORNING

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in 1905, later becoming chairman, Mr. Lane was serving in that capacity when he was made Secretary of the Interior.

During his service on the Interstate Commerce Commission he earned the reputation of being a progressive. His decisions in the railway cases were said to have been almost invariably pleasing to men of advanced ideas. He favored for years a National Corporation Commission similar to the Interstate Commerce Commission with power to regulate all business enterprises engaged in interstate commerce as the most effective remedy for trust evils. He also advocated a commission form of government for Alaska. He was elected a member of the permanent International Railway Commission, organized in 1910 at the International Railway Congress in Berne, Switzerland.

In 1916 Mr. Lane headed the American delegates at a joint conference with High Commissioners from Mexico, as a result of which a protocol was signed at Atlantic City and United States troops were withdrawn from that country.

When the United States entered the war in 1917, Secretary Lane in a number of public speeches outlined the country's purposes and urged business men to show "sacrifices as worthy as those of the men on their way to the trenches." In numerous addresses in behalf of the Liberty Loans he declared the defeat of the United States was "unthinkable" and that the government was determined to see the war fought to a finish. When peace came he devised plans for the employment of returning troops, urged Congress to federalize the Americanization of the foreign born, aided in the reconstruction of France and other war-torn nations and advocated immediate passage of a bill to give farms to soldiers. He was also active in the Council for National Defense and the American Red Cross.

Secretary Lane was a keen supporter of the League of Nations covenant and advocated ratification of the peace treaty of Versailles.

In the summer of 1919 Secretary Lane recommended to the President the calling of a conference of representatives of American capital, labor and industry to discuss economic problems. The National Industrial Conference, of which Mr. Lane was made chairman, was the result. As chairman of the Railroad Wage Commission in 1918 he helped to settle a number of strikes and avert threatened walkouts.

Mr. Lane married in 1893 Miss Anne Wintermute of Tacoma, Wash. Two children, were born to them, Mrs. Nancy Lane Kauffman of Washington and Lieutenant Franklin K. Lane, Jr., U. S. A. of Los Angeles, Cal.

(By the Associated Press)

ROCHESTER, Minn., May 18.—Mrs. Lane and George W. Lane, a brother were called to former secretary's bedside after 5 a. m. today and were with him when he died. Last night it was thought that Mr. Lane was much improved. Although Mr. Lane said following the operation that he was "surprised to be alive," his improvement had been so marked that his death was unexpected.

His son, Franklin K. Lane, Jr., and his daughter, Mrs. Phillip Kauffman, of Washington, were at their homes when their father died, as was his sister, Mrs. M. A. Anderson of Oakland, California.

George Lane said this morning that his brother left "no estate whatever." Mr. Lane's body will be taken to Chicago tonight.

Little Interest Was Taken in the School Election Yesterday

Perhaps fewer persons participated in the school elections here yesterday than ever took part in a similar election, when only 287 out of approximately 2,000 qualified voters voted, carrying the 10 mill levy into the safety zone by 254 for, as compared to 33 against.

Most of the voting was done in the afternoon, only 68 having exercised their franchise up to the noon hour. At no time were the polls crowded and neither those favoring or opposing the levy appeared to take much interest in the way the election was going.

Because of the lack of interest, those favoring the levy appeared for a time that organized opposition might develop and serve to turn the tide against the interest of the schools, but even those who voted against the proposition acted in all fairness and let the individual voters decide the issue.

The following is a record of the vote, by wards:

	For	Against
Ward No. 1	118	9
Ward No. 2	52	4
Ward No. 3	15	4
Ward No. 4.	69	16
Total	254	23

The Fairfax Telephone company of Fairfax has installed forty-eight new telephone poles in their city since January 1 and will put in 9,000 feet of new cable as soon as it arrives from the factory.

Wants

Too Late To Classify

THE PERSON who took my notary public seal from car pocket at Normal Monday night return to News office and receive $5.00 reward.—Pauline Harris. 5-18-1t*

GO TO THE THEATRE

At The American

Pearl White, famous film star, will be at the American Theatre next Thursday in "Know Your Men," a William Fox production. This is an emotional drama of a high type and is replete with big situations.

It is the story of a girls' awakening to the realities of life and its hardships just when she was happiest. When the blow falls it carries with it her father, her fortune and even the man she loves—who turns out to be a cad. Her subsequent life is an effort to make up for the light moments she frittered away, but again, when she has a chance to be happy with a husband who really loves her, she is driven to misfortune and desperation.

Wilfred Lytell is leading man for Miss White.

At The McSwain

"The Life of the Party," at the McSwain Theatre today, is just packed with merry goings. "Fatty" Arbuckle, making his debut as a star in full length comedy drama, is "vaped" by a pretty siren, is stranded by a drunken driver when returning home from a party dressed in children's rompers and runs for mayor. The picture was adapted from one of Irvin Cobb's humorous novelettes that ran in the Saturday Evening Post.

"Fatty" plays the role of a young lawyer, who, for the sake of a pretty pair of eyes, undertakes to bust the Milk Trust. His rival in love is a dishonest judge, who is secretly in league with the milk folks. The judge seeks all manner of means to "frame up" Roscoe, but is foiled in the end. And, of course, the rotund lawyer wins the girl.

Grows Good Vegetables.

Some of the finest specimen of mustard plants ever seen in the city was brought in by Mrs. Dan Hays, of the Dan Hays addition just south of the Normal, yesterday. The plants are more than 2 and one-half feet high, are very tender and of the best flavor.

Mrs. Hays always grows the best in garden truck line for her own use and enjoyment, winning several prizes with them and always has the largest and best variety to show.

Death After Long Illness

MIAMI, May 18.—Funeral services conducted by Rev. D. A. Dawson of the M. E. church, South, were held Friday afternoon from the home of Grant Harp, No. 314 A street southeast, who died the day before from stomach trouble, after an illness of several months.

THE WEATHER

Tonight and Thursday probably unsettled.

Women Follow Old Custom Sowing Grain in Lithuania



Photo shows Lithuanian women working their fields.

This land, which was formerly a battlefield, has been allotted the peasants by the Lithuanian government and there are shown here peasant women working their fields. The old custom of their ancestors is being observed in the planting. Note the woman with the bowl. She takes the grain in her mouth and blows the kernels to right and left as she moves along. In the bowl she carries an egg, a piece of bread and some gold. This is supposed, according to ancient beliefs, to symbolize the production of a bumper crop to be raised.

WHAT WOMEN MUST WEAR WILL BE DECIDED IN COURT

WAUKEGAN, Ill., May 16.—Wilbur Glenn Voliva overseer of Zion City today was made defendant in a damage suit involving the question "how much clothing shall a woman wear?"

Mrs. M. W. Austin, agent for a travelogue, contended before Justice Coulson that she was wearing sufficient attire" when Voliva ordered her out of the Zion home several weeks ago. Voliva and William Crane, a night clerk, declared she was not, but refrained for "modesty's sake" from describing her apparel.

Mrs. Austin had been called to the telephone unexpectedly when the incident occurred.

The Washita Electric Power company of Pauls Valley, will complete about June 1, a 13,200 volt three-phase line to Maysville, a distance of 14 miles. The current will be distributed from the central plant of the company at Pauls Valley.

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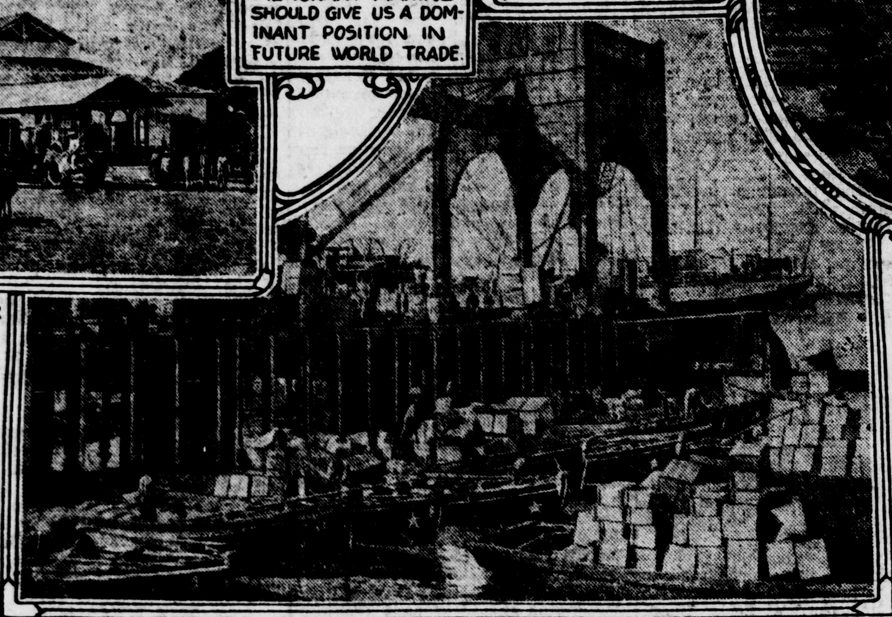
CROWDED COURSE OF NEW YORK HARBOR— THE GREATEST PORT IN THE WORLD- AMERICA'S NEW MERCHANT MARINE SHOULD GIVE US A DOMINANT POSITION IN FUTURE WORLD TRADE.



GRAIN ELEVATORS- BUENOS AIRES- ARGENTINA- THIS GREAT AGRICULTURAL COUNTRY IS A RICH FIELD FOR AMERICAN ENTERPRISE.



CUBAN SUGAR MILL-MONEY FOR THIS INDUSTRY SUBSCRIBED LARGELY BY AMERICANS— NEW MARKETS FOLLOW INVESTMENTS.



DOCKS AT VALPARAISO-CHILE - A CENTRE OF DISTRIBUTION FOR AMERICAN GOODS.



COFFEE PLANTATION IN BRAZIL- A RICH COUNTRY AWAITING AMERICAN MERCHANTS.

By FRANCIS H. SISSON,
Vice President Guaranty Trust Company of New York.

WE are entering the second stage of our post-war transition period. The momentum of economic forces generated and accelerated by the war is rapidly expending itself, as is evident from lessening industrial activities in many lines. Inflation is being arrested; the era of extravagant expenditures is ending; devastated Europe is again beginning to produce, as shown by the rising tide of imports.

The peak of high prices in commodities generally has been passed, and readjustment to normal levels is under way. This, of course, will affect all business. There has been a steady decline in commodity prices as a whole from February of this year. In some lines these declines are more pronounced than others. In manufactured products this is true as yet in only slight degree, but it is certain to be reflected there also.

And in a declining market it is the part of wisdom to be short on commodities and long on credit. This is not the time to borrow in order to carry large stocks of goods or to stimulate the production of non-essential commodities. But commercial loans are not being denied to any industry that is endeavoring to increase the production of essential goods.

While the Federal Reserve Board has declined to rule on what are essential and non-essential commodities, banks throughout the country have proceeded on the general basis that an essential commodity is one for which there is an urgent demand and which is indispensable to the welfare of the community and have encouraged the greater production of necessaries.

Banks prosper most when industry is most prosperous. Their attitude in the present situation is wholly in the interest of the country's economic welfare.

Manufacturers and dealers trying to sustain prices by artificial means are merely emulating King Canute, only they are forbidding the tide to recede. They are trying to do that which bureaucratic governmental agencies sought vainly to accomplish during the war—namely, the suspension of the operation of economic laws.

It would be well now to consider the trend of our foreign trade, for there is a close and vital relationship between the state of that trade and domestic prosperity. It is highly significant that the value of our exports for the seven months' period ended with July should amount to only 6 per cent more than the exports for the corresponding period of 1919, whereas imports increased in value 78 per cent. The excess of our exports over our imports for the first seven months of this year was practically only half of that for the corresponding period of last year.

While the decrease in our enormously favorable trade balance is altogether wholesome, in that to a large extent it measures the recovery of industries in Europe and is evidence that we are increasingly receiving payment for goods in goods rather than in credit, which is gradually but materially affecting the trend of prices in this country, it also serves to call attention to the vital fact that the time is approaching when America will be confronted with a contracted European market.

When that happens there may be serious consequences, if in the meantime other markets for American products are not found. And the best way for us to create new markets is to finance new enterprises and construction work in Latin-America, China and elsewhere. Trade follows investment, as England has demonstrated—to her huge profit.

There is another important element to consider. Within a few years we have acquired a large merchant fleet. We must keep it profitably employed. The terms of the Shipping Bill commit us definitely to an aggressive policy in the use of this new fleet. And it is a source of gratification to note that American ships today carry 60 per cent of our ocean-borne foreign trade. The significance of this lies in the fact that for sixty years a large proportion of the profits of American industries has gone overseas in the form of ocean freight rates, marine insurance premiums and banking commissions. The toll has aggregated billions of dollars.

It must be admitted, of course, that there are serious difficulties to be overcome before capital will be able to flow in the needed amounts into foreign investment. The present home demand is unprecedentedly strong. Billions are needed in the United States to supply equipment for our railroads, to make up the deficiency in building operations that the war created and to meet other urgent domestic demands. An investment of about $25,000,000,000, or the approximate equivalent of the national debt of this country, it has been estimated, is necessary to rehabilitate the basic national plant, which includes the railroads, housing, factories and public utilities in general.

There is no longer any question about the imperative need for repealing the excess profits tax or of the practically universal demand from all substantial business interests for such action.

Even more vital than the reforming of our tax laws, however, is the transportation situation. The railroads have rightfully been returned to their owners, under provisions for ample Government supervision and fair treatment to the carriers as regards rates. But these favorable factors cannot immediately restore the credit of the railroads, and they cannot supply at once the freight cars, engines and terminal facilities so imperatively needed today. There is only one way, in fact, to overcome the serious handicaps confronting the carriers, and that is by the full co-operation of railway managers, railway employees, shippers and the public.

They 'Sing' National Air With Signs



St. Rica school children starting the national air.

The fact that the pupils of St. Rica's dumb school, near Cincinnati, cannot talk, let alone sing, does not prevent them from "singing" the Star-Spangled Banner. They are shown above "singing" the opening lines of that song. From left to right each pupil is saying in the sign language, "Oh, say,—can you—see — by the — dawn's — early light."

GAS COMPANIES HAVE MANY HARD PROBLEMS

(By the Associated Press)

CINCINNATI, O., May 18.—John P. Campbell, a district foreman of Lumber port, W. Va., discussed the difficulties encountered by one in his position before the Natural Gas Association of America in convention here today.

Mr. Campbell longed for the return of the "good old days when men were real men, pipe lining was real pipe lining, and men did a real days work without stint or cavil," and then reviewed the duties which modern practices have placed upon the shoulders of the district foremen.

"One of the most aggravating and difficult duties a West Virginia foreman had had to perform," said Mr. Campbell, "has come to him within the last few years—that is to put in operation an order of the state public service commission requiring all gas, whether free or pay, to be measured and reported to the commission. In order to carry this out it is necessary to maintain a meter on the line or well of the free consumer, and in nearly every case the setting of this meter has been bitterly resisted by the land owner. When foremen began setting these meters they were met with force and threats by the land owners, anywhere from personal assault to murder.

"Free consumers denied the right of the commission to issue such an order. They insisted that this was a right they had under the contract and the commission had no authority to put an interpretation thereon. Resistance was so determined that a suit was brought by the Pittsburgh and West Virginia Gas Company against a man in Marion county to enjoin him from interfering with the installation of a meter. The case was finally decided by the supreme court of appeals which held that the commission had a right to issue such an order, that gas companies must obey the order, and the court would restrain the land owner from interfering with the gas companies in complying with the commissions rule.

"Even after the court had handed down its opinion many free consumers refused to accept it as the law of the state and foremen have continually, up to this time, been confronted with the difficulty of installing the meters against the stubborn resistance of land owners.

"This resistance has been so effective that the gas companies are yet obliged to go into court and ask for a restraining order in a great many cases before the foremen can be protected against the enforcement of a forfeiture clause in his life insurance policy, on the ground of engaging in a hazardous business."

The Checotah Water, Light and Ice company, of Checotah, has recently installed three 100-horsepower boilers, standard engines and generators, costing $18,000, including improvements to buildings.

Class Play Thursday Night

OKEMAH, May 18.—The senior class of Okemah high school entertained the public Thursday night with its annual senior circus, which from an entertainment and financial standpoint exceeded anything of the kind ever attempted here before. Each of the rooms in the high school contained some "side show" and the "main top" was the room in which the stage was located. The proceeds of the evening's entertainment went for the betterment of athletic conditions at the school.

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OKLAHOMA URGED TO ADVERTISE CHANCES

OKLAHOMA CITY, May 18.—Oklahoma gets too much unfavorable advertising from stories printed in outside newspapers relative to the escapades of bank robbers and such characters as Clara Smith and Henry Starr, declares the Oklahoma News in its column, "The Referee" and it should turn its attention toward making known the good things that will promote its development. The News continues:

"There are a good many things about Oklahoma the world should know about. Let us see that they do know it.

"Since we have cooled from the fever following our great oil development, it seems safe to predict that we will develop in the future along more substantial and conservative lines.

"Our natural resources that were before considered subordinate will now be developed. Oklahoma in 1950 will be much different from the Oklahoma we know now. Let me present a vision of the future—and probably not so far in the future as you may think.

"Our coal fields and water power will be developed, and among our industries will be included cotton mills, great packing plants, cereal mills, foundries, canneries, the largest glass works in America, and factories using raw material from the whole southwest and Mexico.

"Oklahoma will be one of the three or four greatest agricultural states, with thousands of farm homes where every modern convenience is found. There will be at least ten cities with more than 50,000 population, most of them near our extensive coal fields. Oklahoma City, the beautiful capitol, will be the financial, commercial and educational center of the state.

"A much greater interurban system penetrating into the fertile valleys of the Washita, and Cimarron, as well as the Canadian, will form a wonderfully rich trade territory for her. Excellent automobile roads will connect all parts of the state with the capital and will lead to summer playgrounds in the Arbuckles and Wichitas. The dream will come true, for the resources and possibilities are here. It is only a question of time."

We will appreciate it if you will call us about any empty ice cream packers that you may have, thank you. Southern Ice & Utilities Co. Phone 244. 5-16-6td.

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Rates for Classified Ads

Rates for classified advertising in this department are 1½c per word for each insertion when more than one insertion is made; a minimum charge of 25c for one insertion only when 17 words or less are used. Copy must be in the office by 9:00 a. m. to insure proper classification.

All want or classified ads must be accompanied by cash—no advertising of this class will be accepted unless paid for in advance.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Modern bed room. 318 W. 12th. 5-16-6td*

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms. Phone 686. 5-18-3td*

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms; no children. 320 West 13th. 5-16-3td*

FOR RENT—Sleeping room for gentleman. Modern home. 208 E. 14th. 5-16-3td*

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for lighthouse keeping. 231 E. 14th. Phone 972. 5-17-3td*

FOR RENT—5-room modern house June First. J. L. Adair, 315 E. 12. 5-17-2t*.

FOR RENT—Furnished room for one or two gentlemen, $3.50 a week. Phone 762-J. 5-18-3td*

FOR RENT—Two large front rooms and sleeping porch, unfurnished; modern convenience, 701 West 9th. Phone 296-R. 5-16-3td*

LOST

LOST—Male pointer pup; finder notify B. M. Bobbitt and receive reward. 5-16-3td*

LOST—Between Postoffice and Main Ladies gold wrist watch, initial G. P. Phone 28. 5-17-3t*

LOST OR STOLEN—One 33x4 Enders casing number 23805 and Dodge rim. Reward for return. Coffman, Bobbitt & Sparks Co. 5-17-3t*

MISCELLANEOUS

CANDYMAKING Business. Start at home. Everything furnished. Men—Women. $30. Wkly. Bon-Bon Co. Philadelphia, Pa. 5-17-1mo.*

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Furniture for four rooms. Phone 460. 5-17-3td*

FOR SALE—Sweet and butter milk. Phone 686. 5-18-3td*

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow, heifer calf. 315 East 12th. 5-17-2t*

FOR SALE—At once, nice lot in Chickasaw addition, cheap for quick sale. Mr. Cowling, Cowling & Constant. Phone 502. 5-17-2td*

FOR SALE—Five room house, breakfast room, bath and two porches, on East Main, Phone 516-327-1040. 5-16-3td*

120 acres highly improved alfalfa land seven miles south of Ada, and $4000.00 well secured 2nd mortgage note for Ada property. $5000 cash puts you in possession of a real 320 acre farm 4 miles north of Tishomingo, or will take Ada residence well located. A. L. Bowles & Co., Phone 878 or 867. Harris hotel. 5-17-2td*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Sorghum syrup in barrel $1.00 per gallon. 223 West 5th. 5-17-5td*

FOR SALE—Fume or smoke stack for cafe at a real bargain. 225 West Main. 5-17-3td*

FOR SALE—Two vacant lots on West Second and Oak. See J. T. Kerley, 527 West Second.

FOR SALE—New 5-room modern house with garage, fine location, East 14th street, easy payments; if interested call at my home, 728 E. Main. 5-18-4td*

FOR SALE—220 acres in fee section 2 and 11, township 3 north, range 6 east, half mile east of City Lake; not leased for oil; $30 per acre. See Sarkeys. 5-18-1td*

FOR SALE—Six room modern, close in, on east side, for quick sale—$3800. Easy terms.—Abney & Massey, 116 S. Townsend. Phone 782. 5-18-3td*

FOR SALE—Will sell half interest in eighty acre lease near deep test well drilling on structure in McCurtain county or will trade for good automobile. Phone 478

FOR SALE—Two floor scales, Burroughs Adding Machine, National Cash Register, Dayton Counter Scale, New American Cash Register, Calculator and Adding Machine. Will sell at a bargain.—J. L. Dee Typewriter Exchange, 111 West Twelfth street, Ada, Okla. Phone 670. 5-17-2t*

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One of the best business buildings in the city, located on Main street. This is a real bargain if you are interested in business property.

One 6-room modern home, 4 blocks from post office, price $5,500.00 and $600.00 cash will handle, balance monthly payments.

One nice 5-room home on east side, price $2250, with small cash payment, balance like rent.

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WANTED—Boarders at 311 West Sixth. Private home. 5-17-3td*

WANTED—Roomers at Katy Rooming House; reasonable rates; opposite Katy Depot. 4-21-1 mo.

WANTED—Your old mattresses to work over. 400 East 12th. Phone 170. Ada Mattress Company.

WANTED—To room and board two young men 505 South Mississippi Ave., Phone 865. 5-16-3td*

WANTED to buy second hand furniture. Swap Shop, 206 West Main. 5-16-6td*

WANTED TO RENT—A lot or part of lot, close in. See Woodard, Bird Hotel, rear. 5-17-1t*

WANTED—Good man with team to cultivate ten acres good land close in. See Dr. Hickman, Phone 1041. 5-16-3td*

WANTED—Smoke stack painting and all kinds of roof work; old roofs made new. See C. E. Moore or Phone 123. 5-18-4td*

WANTED—Everybody in town to call at Hensler & Story Drug Co., Wednesday and Thursday of this week to see demonstration of new cleaning product. Klens-Er-lite Sales Co. 5-16-3td*

MAN IMPLICATED IN OLD BOMB PLOT BEING HELD

(By the Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, May 18.—John J. McNamara, former secretary of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers, was sentenced to fifteen years imprisonment in San Quentin penitentiary, in the Los Angeles Superior court, December 5, 1911, when he pleaded guilty to a charge of having conspired to dynamite the plant of the Llewellyn Iron Works in this city. The plea was made while he was on trial on a charge of murder in connection with the blowing up of the Los Angeles Times building, October 1, 1910.

James B. McNamara, brother to John, who was being tried jointly with the latter, pleaded guilty to murder and was sentenced to life imprisonment. The state alleged the McNamaras conspired with others to blow up the Times building, and that the plot was carried out by James McNamara planting a dynamite bomb in the rear of the structure. Twenty employees of the Times were killed in the destruction of the building.

It was alleged the motive for the crime was that the Times had taken the side of the Llewellyn Iron Works during a strike of structural iron workers there, and that the accused were also concerned in an attempt to blow up the Llewellyn plant.

The McNamaras were arrested in the east after Ortie E. McManigal, an alleged accomplice, made a confession. McManigal was the principal witness at the trial, which came to a dramatic end when the accused men offered to make pleas of guilty if assured they would escape death penalty.

Two other alleged accomplices were arrested and received prison sentences in California. Thirty-nine other persons who had been associated with the McNamaras in Indiana, were convicted of conspiring to transport dynamite, in the Federal court at Indianapolis. These cases followed statements by McManigal to the effect that there had been a country-wide dynamiting of bridges and other structures on which non-union workers had been employed.

Remaining indictments against John McNamara in Los Angeles have been outlawed, but it was said here he might possibly have to face charges in Indianapolis upon his release.

The Oklahoma Gas & Electric company at Muskogee is rehabilitating its ice plant at a cost of approximately $50,000.

LODGES

A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No 119, Monday night on or before the full moon in each month—John Thrasher, W. M.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

R. A. M.—Ada Chapter No. 26 Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.—A. Stauffer, H. P.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

K. T. M.—Ada Commandry No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday night of each month.—M. F. Manville, E. C.; F. C. Sims, secretary.

B. P. O. E.—Ada Lodge No. 1275 meets second and fourth Monday nights in each month.—H. Claude Pitt, secretary.

MODERN WOODMEN—Lodge 10954 meets second and fourth Saturday nights of each month, at I. O. O. F. Hall.—J. E. Russell, clerk.

I. O. O. F. Encampment No. 17 meets every Tuesday night.—L. L. Lewis, C. P.; H. C. Evans, Scribe.

I. O. O. F.—Ada Lodge No. 146, regular meeting every Thursday.—A. B. Martin, N. G.; H. C. Evans,

ADA COUNCIL No. 625 U. C. T.—Meets first Saturday night each month at I. O. O. F. hall.—W. H. Holmes, Sec.-Treas.

A. O. U. W.—Lodge No. 40 meets first and third Tuesday nights of each month at Ada Business College.—J. B. Emory, secretary.

FRENCH BRIDES FLY TO SUNNY HOME IN FRANCE

CHICAGO May 18.—Many French brides of American soldiers are taking wing back to sunny France, according to the April records of the local passport office.

"Presumably they are going back to visit," said Thomas Wells deputy clerk of the U. S. Court in charge of passports here. "At least that is the reason most frequently assigned on applications."

Swedish girls, too, are making the pilgrimage to the land of their birth. In fact, the number of women of all nationalities now applying at Chicago for return to Europe decidedly exceeds that of men. American school teachers are also swelling the flow to foreign shores.

The hegira to Sweden, thinks Mr. Sells, is largely traceable to the handsome wages paid domestics during 1920, which gave them funds sufficient for the trip.

But by far the largest number of passports now being issued here have Germany as destination," Mr. Sells said. "Since we are still technically at war with Germany however," he pointed out, "Passports cannot be issued to Germany from this office. Invariably, though, the applicants for German passports come to us first, and in this way we know approximately the number of people going there. We send them, of course, to the local Swiss consul, who has charge of German affairs pending the declaration of peace; he issues the passports without further formality."

The flow toward Germany is largely women, who are returning to visit relatives or seek them in case they have not been hard from. Very few men are returning—practically none on business missions.

Passports to Poland are being issued only in cases of extreme necessity, and no passports whatever are being issued for Soviet Russia.

The daily grist at the Chicago passport office averages now 65 as against 25 last January. This office is the second largest dispener of passports in the country, Mr. Sells said.

Notice of Sale of Oil and Gas Lease.

State of Oklahoma,
County of Pontotoc—ss:
In the County Court
No. 2093

Notice is hereby given in pursuance of an order of the County Court of Pontotoc County, State of Oklahoma, made and entered on the 16th day of May, 1921, the undersigned guardian will offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest and best bidder an oil and gas mining lease on Saturday the 21st day of May, 1921, at 2 o'clock, p. m., the following described lands situated in Grady county, State of Oklahoma, to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter; Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter; West half of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter; Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter; South Half of the Northeast Quarter; northeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter; North Half of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section 35, Township 5 North, Range 7 West.

Said oil and gas lease will be sold on the following terms and conditions, to-wit:

At public sale for cash in hand subject to the confirmation of the court, sale to be for a cash bonus of not less than $5.00 per acre.

Said sale to be held in the County Court room of Pontotoc County, Oklahoma, at the time above stated.

Dated this 16th day of May, 1921.

MAY HUDDLESTON,
Guardian of Frank Huddleston, Jr., a Minor. 5-18-2td

Find Trachoma in Morris

(By the Associated Press)

OKMULGEE, May 18.—With an epidemic of trachoma raging in the towns of Preston and Beggs, in the north part of this county, examinations conducted in the schools of Morris, seven miles east of here, disclosed fourteen severe cases of the eye disease there.

News want ads get results.

Breeders Have Big Sale

ENID, May 18.—W. S. Boles and son, stock breeders, held a private shorthorn sale last week offering seven bulls and 30 females, most of them from the famous bull, Pleasant Fair Sultan—nine of his sons and daughters having sold for $91,250, a record not equaled in America.



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STATE NEWS

PONCA CITY.—An Indian agricultural and livestock fair will be held here next fall. This is being arranged by the local Chamber of Commerce.

HOLLIS.—The annual livestock and poultry show of Harmon county will be held here, April 14. Five hundred dollars in prizes will be awarded the winners.

PERRY.—The annual county educational and athletic meet will be held here, April 22 and 23. Loving cups are t o be awarded the winning teams.

OKLAHOMA CITY.—Southern Oklahoma is to have a new state road. The roadway will run from Oklahoma City to Ardmore. It is to be known as the Arbuckle High way.

BRISTOW.—Cotton acreage will be reduced more than one-third in creek county this year, according to J. W. Riley county agent. Riley reports farmers sowing oats instead of cotton as formerly.

McALESTER. — Approximately 300,000 acres of coal and mineral land in the Chickasaw and Choctaw nations will be sold at an early date according to officials of the Five Civilized tribes. The land is said to be worth $12,000,000.

MUSKOGEE.—An interurban car system, linking Oklahoma City with Henryetta, Okmulgee and Muskogee, has been suggested by R. D. Long, former manager of the Muskogee Traction company. The project would cost about $24,000,000.

DUNCAN.—The United Charities society of Duncan has asked the city commission to appoint Miss Ella Payne as a special police officer. If the commission acts favorably on the request Miss Payne will be the first policewoman on duty in Duncan.

HENRYETTA.—According to reports here the Oklahoma-Southwest railway company, which is constructing a new line from Bristow to Oklahoma City, will pass through this city, thus tapping the rich coal fields, hereabouts.

MIAMI.—Zinc miners who have been forced out of employment because of market conditions, are being cared for by a relief organization of Picher. More than 200 have found temporary employment as day laborers on state roads in this county.

BEAVER.—The Oklahoma-Panhandle is to have a new railroad according to apparently reliable reports here. The new road is to run from Beaver, west, through Gumon, Boise City and Garrett and its western terminus will be Las Animas, Colo. It is understood here the new road will be financed by the Santa Fe.

OKMULGEE CITY.—Hearing of the application of the corporation commission for readjustment and reduction of rates between Oklahoma and Texas points on grain, hay and straw will be held before the interstate commerce commission examiner here, April 6. The complaint involves rates on carload shipments only.

TULSA.—Law enforcement, officers and pharmacists of the state have been invited to attend a conference of prohibition enforcement officials here, April 11, at which time the recent rulings of the department of justice concerning manufacture and sale of beer, will be discussed, and interpretations of the law given by federal authorities.

OKLAHOMA CITY.—Farm labor will be plentiful during the harvest this year, Claude F. Connally, state labor commissioner is confident. Wages paid such laborers will also be much lower this year, Conally said. During the war farm laborers recived $75 a month and board, on an average. This year the average wage will be $30, Connally believes.

CHICKASHA. — The Oklahoma Broom Manufacturers' association and the Southwest Broom Manufacturers association will meet in joint convention here, April 6. Three hundred delegates are expected from each organization. Trade conditions will be the principal topics under discussion. An elaborate program of entertainment has been planned for the visitors. The program includes, a war dance by the Comanche blanket Indians, and Indian pony race and a badger fight.

GUTHRIE—The legality of the federal law prohibiting the the sale of Indian lands before deeds to them are in their Indian owners mands, will be tested in the federal district court here next term. Miller Brothers of 101 ranch, near Ponca City, charged in an indictment returned by a federal grand jury, with securing Indian lands through filing false applications of patents and deeds, contend they have a legal right to buy lands from Indians after patent rights have been issued though not actually delivered into their hands. District Attorney Peck, in charge of the prosecution of the case against the Indians, maintains such a transaction is unlawful.

The next term of federal court will open here during May. No definite date for the Miller case has been set.

Old Editor Will Write at Home

RACINE, Wis., April 5.—The Journal-News of Racine Wis., has begun construction of a new home. A new 24-page tubular duplex press will be installed.

F. W. Starbuck, president of the company and also editor, is still writing editorials for the paper at his residence near San Jose, Ca., and although 75 years of age and afflicted with almost complete loss of eyesight, continues his daily work He operates his own tyewriter through long familiarity with the keys, and his grasp on and interest in public questions is just as keen as it was twenty years ago.

F. R. Starbuck, his son, is secretary and treasurer, and D. F. Griswold is the city editor. The latter has been with the paper over forty years.

The pressroom will be situated on the first floor, and the entire remainder of this floor will be occupied by the various clerical departments. The second floor will be given up to the composing and sterotype rooms, with a tier of offices for proofreaders, deskmen and Associated Press operator. A large lobby has been arranged with marble terrazzo, floor, and on the right an open stairway with ornamental metal to the second floor.

Get Divorce After 15 Years.

LEITH, N. D., April 5.—Fifteen years ago William Kincaid of Leith started a divorce action in Ohio. The case, after sessions in three courts, has just ended in a decree for him. A son 8 years old when the action was started now is married.

YOUNGEST VETERAN OF WORLD WAR IS FOUND

FORT SCOTT, Kan., April 5.—Fort Scott's claim to the youngest veteran of the world war is disputed. Herman Lange of this city who was but 14 when he enlisted held this record, it was believed. But a letter from Mrs. Joe Waiter of Garett, Ind., to a local newspaper states that her son, Leo L. Madden, enlisted and went overseas at the age of 13 with the Rainbow division and was at the front eighteen months with the 150th field artillery.

He sailed for France August 17, 1917, and he was not 14 years old until October 10 of that year, according to his mother. After coming home young Leo re-enlisted and was sent to Camp Grant, Ill., where he is stationed with the 52nd infantry.

NORTHERN STATE WILL ENFORCE ALL "BLUE LAWS"

(By the Associated Press)

SIOUX FALLS, S. D., April 2.—Rigid enforcement of all the "blue laws" on the statute books of South Dakota was scheduled to begin tomorrow.

In the state-wide campaign which Attorney General Byron S. Payne has announced will start today, provided there are any violations, Sunday baseball seemed doomed, along with any other sports which ordinarily take place on the Sabbath. The lid also will be clamped on Sunday movies and theatrical performances, and stores which sell food must be closed at 9 a. m. on the Sabbath.

An ancient "blue law" which has been upon the statutes for a number of years, and which has never been enforced, affecting the type of motion picture films may be displayed on any day of the week also is to be resurrected and enforced to the letter, according to the edict laaid down by the attorney general. Motion picture exhibitors throughout the state have declared that it is absurd to even think of enforcing that provision of the code, because they point out, it would bar practically all the recent movie productions which violate the provision in some manner or other. The code says, "it shall be a misdemeanor to exhibit any indecent or vile motion pictures; any pictures portraying illicit love or infidelity to marriage promises; crime, or in any way suggesting the showing of crime or other immorality."

At a conference of the state's attorneys held at Huron, S. D. on March 24, called at Mr. Payne's invitation, the official declared that inasmuch as the last general assembly had not seen fit to repeal the "old blue laws" after many requests had been made for it to do so, it was the duty of the state's attorneys to enforce every "blue law" on the statute books.

Valley View Sub-Division

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This subdivision is so named because from the hill you overlook a valley both to north and south.

There is now on this subdivision the following:
One 9-room modern brick home complete.
One 6-room modern brick home material being put on the ground.
One 5-room and basement now under construction.
One 6-room frame house contracted to begin construction.

I sold three more of these tracts Saturday, this in addition to two sold Friday is 5 out of 14 to be sold.

Two of the other buyers contemplate building as soon as they can make arrangements.

If you want room and fresh air with scenery and still be in walking distance of town, schools and churches you can make no mistake in buying one of these desirable tracts for your home.

Any family who owns their cow, chickens and raise 2 or more hogs and garden truck will tell you that they pay half the grocery bill and that they set a better table than those who buy out of paper bags, glass bottles and jars and fancy paper packages.

Your children will be better for the knowledge of farming and stock raising. Get them interested in a calf, red hog or chickens, they also will make money.

All this can be done on one of these tracts of land.

If you want to build this summer, you can buy a tract all on time, one, two, three and four years at 8%, or if you do not want to build now, get a tract for one-half cash and one, two and three years at 8% and build when you want to or sell off a part of your tract.

You will be surprised in one years time, by the development of this property and you will be sorry if you do not buy now before they are bought up and resold at double the monev now asked.

Get busy and get a choice tract, have a real home or make money by buying now.

Car at your service and I am ready any time from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m. to show this property.

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DUNLAP'S MIGHTY MERGER SALE

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Thousands of dollars worth of brand new Merchandise which has just arrived from the mills and factories will be thrown on sale at our Ada store beginning **Thursday, April 7th.** Our buyers are buying this new merchandise at lower prices than have been known since the world war started and we are determined to be the first to give our customers the benefit of these before the war prices. Read each price listed below and then come to this MIGHTY MERGER SALE and compare our prices with what others are asking for the same quality of Merchandise. Positively the lowest prices in the State of Oklahoma. Three big Special Sale days, **Thursday, April 7th, Friday, April 8th and Saturday, April 9th.** If you cannot come Thursday or Friday, come Saturday, as each day will be a big day.

Good quality Bookfold Gingham, new colors, yard — 10c
Good quality 36-inch Bleached Muslin, yard — 10c
Nice quality Ladies' Summer Knit Vests, each — 10c
Best grade Men's Blue Overalls, pair — 98c
Best Machine Thread, all sizes, black and white, 150 yard spools — 5c
Yard wide Brown Muslin, yard — 8c
New Spring Calicoes, lights and darks, yard — 9c
Men's Athletic Union Suits, all sizes, each — 69c
Men's Good Khaki Pants, pair — $1.89
Good grade Men's Dress Sox, pair — 7c
Dress Pins, big count paper, at — 4c

Ladies' fine wearing Hose, pair — 9c
Fine quality 36 inch Silk Poplin, all colors, yard — 69c
Ladies' Seamed back long boot, Silk Hose, pair — 75c
Boys' best grade Blue Overalls, pair — 69c
Ladies' pure thread Silk Hose, black and grey — 98c
Ladies' new style Shoes and Oxfords, at per pair, only — $2.95, $3.95 and $4.95
Men's Work Shoes, at per pair — $2.95, $3.45 and $4.95
Men's fine Suits in Worsteds, Cashmeres and Serges, all sizes — $19.00
Boys' School Suits, at — $5.00, $7.00 and $9.00
Ladies' new style Spring Hats, well made, latest fashions at — $3.45, $3.95 and $4.95

Ladies' fine Mercerized Lisle Hose, black, brown and white, pair — 33c
Good quality Bookfold Percale, new Spring patterns, per yard — 10c
Best grade Silkline Crochet, all colors and sizes, per spool — 10c
Men's Canvas Gloves, good weight, per pair — 10c
Men's heavy Work Shirts, each — 68c
Heavy Cheviot Shirting, yard — 15c
Best heavy Brown Muslin, yard — 12c
Fine quality 36-inch Pure Taffeta Silk, black and cloors, per yard — $1.39
Men's fine Lisle Sox, black and colors, pair — 25c

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THE ADA EVENING NEWS

NO BOOM, BUT A MAGIC DEVELOPMENT

Prominent Mewbers in the New Cabinet Guiding German Affairs



Above, Dr. Wirth, right, and Gustav Bauer at left. Below, Eugene Schiffer, left; Robert Schmidt, center, and Herr Geisberts.

Five of the leading members of Germany's new cabinet are shown above. Dr. Wirth, who formed the cabinet, is chancellor and foreign minister. The other four members whose picturer appear and their posts are: Gustav Bauer, vice chancellor and minister of the treasury; Herr Schiffer, minister of justice; Robert Schmidt, minister of labor, and Herr Geisberts, minister of posts and telegraphs.

TEETH OF BIRD IS FOUND IN CHALK BEDS OF KANSAS

(By the Associated Press)

LAWRENCE, Kan., May 18.—One of the two specimens in the world of bird's teeth was found in the chalk beds of Western Kansas and has been preserved at the University of Kansas museum, according to Prof. H. T. Martin, curator at the museum, who found the specimen. The other specimen is at the Yale University museum. The Kansas fossil is of the Cretaceous period, about 25 million years ago. Ten teeth are included with the fossil.

This is the second oldest known type of bird life, according to Professor Martin. It is the most complete specimen that has been preserved. The bird was of the Hesperornis family. It was five feet long, had a short vertebrae tail and possessed no wings. It was a marine bird and resembled the modern penquin.

"The earliest specimen of bird that has been discovered had teeth," says Professor Martin. "This earliest type lived in the Jurassic period, some 30 million years ago, and specimens have been found in the lithographic limestone beds of Germany. This type of bird was about the size of a crow and had sharp, pointed teeth and a vertebrae tail longer than the body, like the Dinosaur."

The specimen preserved at the University of Kansas is more valuable than any other, according to Professor Martin, because it gives a clear idea of the semi-plumaceous feathery covering which the bird possessed. No other known specimen gives this evidence.

Another thing—why not pass a law compelling the city to pay the innocent bystander's doctor bill?

DISPUTED HOTEL BILL IS CAUSE OF SHOOTING

PONCA CITY, Okla., May 18—A young man by the name of Still, given name unknown, said to be from Searcy county, Arkansas, was brought to a hospital here this afternoon from Kaw City suffering from a gunshot wound in the upper thigh of the left leg. He was alleged to have been shot early this morning by B. H. Kenner, proprietor of a hotel there. Still was a guest of the hotel. A dispute arose over payment of the room rent. Kenner states that Still drew a knife on him and that he shot in self-defense. A shotgun was used, the shot being fired from close range. Kenner has not yet been arrested. Still is expected to recover.

ADA TRAIN SCHEDULE

Frisco Railroad

NORTH

No. 118—Lv. Daily ____3:57 A. M.
No. 510—Lv. Daily___12:05 P. M.
No. 512—Lv. Daily ____ 4:20 P. M.

SOUTH

No. 117—Lv. Daily___11:52 P. M.
No. 511—Lv. Daily ____ 1:55 P. M.
No. 507—Lv. Daily___ 7:10 P. M.

Santa Fe Railroad

EAST

No. 450—Lv. Daily ___ 12:10 P. M.
(Local freight, daily ex. Sunday)
No. 446—Ar. Daily ___ 11:40 A. M.
(Stops here)

WEST

No. 449—Lv. _____ 10:05 A. M.
(Local freight, daily ex. Sunday)
No. 445—Lv. Daily ___ 12:20 P. M.

M. K. & T. Railway

EAST

No. 20—Lv. Daily ____ 11:19 A. M.
No. 16—Lv. Daily ____ 10:18 P. M.

WEST

No. 19—Ar. Daily _____ 4:34 P. M.
No. 15—Ar. Daily _____ 5:42 A. M

AMERICAN BAR TO HEAR SIMON AT ANNUAL MEET

The American Bar Association has received from the Rt. Hon. Sir John Simon, London, England, a cable acceptance of the invitation to address the Association at its annual meeting at Cincinnati in August. Sir John Simon is said to be "the most distinguished barrister practicing in England." He has held the important government posts of solicitor-general, attorney-general, and secretary of state for home affairs. During a portion of the stay of this eminent law-officer and statesman on this side of the Atlantic, he is to be the guest of the Canadian Bar association, and he will address that body also at its annual meeting.

At the two most recent annual meetings of the American Bar association the members have had the privilege of hearing a Lorn Chancellor and Privy-Councillor and Lord Chief Justice of England. This year the representative from Great Britain will be the most distinguished representative from the barristers side of the court.

Other important addresses will be those by the president of the association William A. Blount, of Pensacola, Florida; the Honorable John W. Davis, ex-ambassador to Great Britain, and ex-United States Senator Charles S. Thomas, of Colorado.

The program committee has just concluded arrangements for the presentation of a' "Symposium on The Administration of Criminal Justice," by Raymond D. Fosdick, of New York; Luther Z. Rosser, of Atlanta, Georgia; and Judge Marcus A. Kavanaugh, of Chicago.

REJECT ROAD BONDS IN CREEK COUNTY TOWNSHIP

BRISTOW, May 18.—By a majority of 12 votes, the $20,000 good roads bond issue submitted Saturday to the voters of Sunny Slope township, 10 miles south of this city, was defeated. Reports indicate the larger property owners in that section were against the proposed bond issue, while the small land holders and tenants in the district favored the issue. Opposition to the bond issue was brought about by the large owners who claimed the tenant farmers and small land owners wanted the bonds voted so that they might have an income during the summer months from work on the proposed roads.

Paving Machinery Arrives

KINGFISHER, May 16.—A car load of heavy machinery has been unloaded in this city for use in paving the streets. The work of paving will begin at the south end of Main street. Bids for the constructing of a bridge over Kingfisher creek are to be relet, owing to some misunderstanding in contract. This bridge is to be built with money given by federal government and county.

Miami, Vinita, McAlester, El Reno and Kingfisher will be visited by C. L. Dawson, national field representative of the American Legion, next week, in his tour of 25 cities of the state. The next week will find him in the northwestern part of the state holding group meetings at Guthrie, Enid, Cherokee, Alva and Woodward.

F. W. Galbraith, Jr., national commander of the American Legion, is expected to attend the conference of post commanders from 229 posts of the state which is to be held at Shawnee on June 13. A special invitation has been forwarded to the national Legion leader by H. B. Fell of Ardmore, state commander.

The carrying of any other flag, banners, placards or similar articles in any procession along with the official colors of the American Legion and the stars and stripes is condemned in a bulletin just issued by national headquarters of the American Legion. In a procession, the bulletin states, the national colors always should be borne on the military right, with the Legion colors on the left, and the colors should always be provided with a proper guard, composed of men who appreciate fully the great honor conferred upon them.

Alfred E. Dameron, a member of Stewart Whiting Hoover Post of the American Legion at West Point, N. Y., heard the call of the Army but found that recruiting had stopped. As second choice, he went back to the farm in Virginia. A few days later, while plowing he turned up a copper pot containing $15,000 in old gold and silver coins.

As a result of a fight waged on the floor of congress by Representative Hamilton Fish, Jr., of New York, a prominent American Legion worker, relatives of aliens who served in the American Army, Navy and Marine Corps during the world war are entitled to preferred rights of entry into the United States in the three percent immigration to be allowed during the next year under the new immigration bill.

Our position simply is that European princesses are far from pretty or ought to sue the photographers.

OLD PEACE PIPE IS PRESENTED TO STATE SOCIETY

ABERDEEN, S. D., May 18.—The famous old pipe of peace of the Indian chief, Sitting Bull, has lately been presented to the state historical society by H. C. Pryor, of the Aberdeen Normal School.

On the stem of the relic, burned or inked into the wood is the autograph of the warrior. The bowl of the pipe is of pink sandstone from the quarries at Pipestone, Minn. The stem is about 20 inches long and is of ash wood. The pipe was traded to Mr. Pryor's father I. D. Pryor, now a resident of Los Angeles, by Sitting Bull at Camp Crook in 1887 for a blanket.

"There was some argument, I believe about the autograph," explained Mr. Pryor. "The old chief thought he should have extra compensation besides the blanket for it. It seems that his name was about the only thing Sitting Bull could write in English and he was very proud of it.

"The story goes that Sitting Bull had just been released from prison at Ft. Randall and was making his way northward to the reservation. Always ready to pick up a few dollars, he stopped off at Pierre, S. D. and started a flourishing business selling his autographed cards at $1 each. Some one induced him to step into the telegraph office there and write his name on a number of harmless looking message blanks. The Indian's anger rose to white heat when he discovered that carbon had been inserted between several sheets under the one on which he wrote."

Doane Robinson, South Dakota state historian says numerous pipes reputed to have been th "pipe of peace" of Sitting Bull have been offered for sale, but he is obliged to believe that the one which Mr. Pryor has just presented to the state is the genuine one. The autograph on the pipe is exactly the same as appears on the cards the chief sold in Pierre, It is said.

Empire Reduction Slight

BARTLESVILLE, May 18.—H. R. Straight, general manager of the Empire companies announced here today that the report that the company had reduced its working force from 900 to 700 in this city was erroneous. "Our welfare department has been eliminated," Mr. Straight said, "and we have called in our Texas and Louisiana oil scouts. There has been no great change here at the home office."

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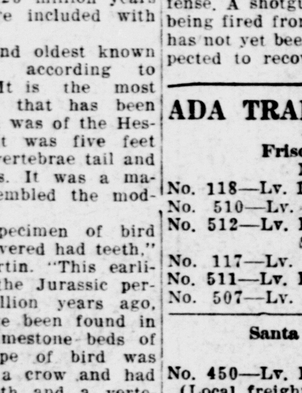
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